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## "ROOSEVELT IS NOT THE MAN"

LA FOLLETTE CHARGES ATTEMPT TO ROB FRUITS OF HIS OWN WORK.

### TEDDY'S TRUST RECORD

Wisconsin Senator Confident That Progressive Republicans Will Emerge in the Lead.

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He declared that when the republican party through its progressive associates, had reached a point where it would "respond to the purposes for which it was born, an attempt was made at Chicago to divert it."

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"Their power has gone on growing and spreading. There has been no diminution in the present administration. This administration has sought to enforce the Sherman anti-trust law more vigorously than its predecessors, but the time to have applied the Sherman law effectively was in the infancy of these trusts, when there were only 149."

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"That does fairly well," responded Senator Stone amid the laughter of the senate.

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## SHOW CLARENCE DARROW NO CLEMENCY, PLEA OF PROSECUTOR TO JURORS

### LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Temperatures, furnished by Dr. I. Block, voluntary weather observer, for 24 hours ending Friday evening at 7 o'clock: Minimum 73½, maximum 97½.

### Government Prediction.

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## Charges the Defendant With a List of 22 Crimes

FREDERICKS TELLS JURY TO PLACE DUTY ABOVE THEIR FEARS.

He Says Now Is Opportune Time to Forever End Practice of Bribing Court Bodies.

By The Associated Press.

Los Angeles, Aug. 16.—District Attorney Fredericks did not conclude the argument for the prosecution in the Darrow bribery trial until late today, and Judge Hutton announced he would not deliver his instructions to the jury until tomorrow. Fredericks closed his argument, which had extended through a day and a half, by urging the jury to set aside their sympathy for Darrow and, by finding him guilty, put an end forever to the corruption of jurors.

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MEXICAN REBELS FAIL TO RESPECT RIGHTS OF UNITED STATES CONSUL.

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adopted must be beyond the control of Wall street and other similar interests. The monetary commission, which has recently reported to congress, has collected an immense amount of valuable information. This should be more generally disseminated among the whole people for their information. Some of the recommendations are excellent. I strongly object to certain features of their plan because, in my judgment they do not sufficiently safeguard the public against the danger of control by special or speculative interests in Wall street.

"Any plan adopted must keep the control absolutely in the hands of the government and our proposal is to keep it in the hands of the government."

### KNOX OFF TO JAPAN.

By The Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 16.—Secretary Knox, for the time being special ambassador of President Taft to Emperor Yoshihito of Japan, left Washington at 4:45 tonight, accompanied by Mrs. Knox and R. S. Miller, chief of the far east division of the state department, to personally represent the president at the funeral of the deceased Japanese emperor Sept. 13.

### 2ND PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES ARE POSTPONED

There will be no preaching services at the Second Presbyterian church tomorrow, on account of the pastor, Rev. J. J. Grier, being out of the city. Sabbath school at 9:30 a. m. as usual.

A News Want Ad may bring the opportunity you are looking for.

## CHRISTIANS KILLED BY THE MOHAMMEDANS

WOMEN AND CHILDREN REPORTED TO HAVE BEEN MURDERED BY THE WHOLESALE.

By The Associated Press.

Cettinje, Aug. 16.—Terrible reports were circulated in the capital tonight of another massacre of Christians by Mohammedans in Albania.

A band of Mohammedans, supported by Turkish troops, today attacked a section of the Christian population in the Bernada district of Albania, which is close to the Montenegrin frontier. A fierce fight resulted, and women and children are reported to have been murdered by the wholesale. A large number of Christians and their families have fled and taken refuge in Montenegro. The government has ordered Minister of War Vukotich to proceed to the frontier and practically take charge of the situation in an effort to maintain order.

## With Bullet Hole Through His Head Negro Still Lives

Although he has a bullet hole through his head, Will Smith, a negro, still lives. He was the "innocent bystander" who received a bullet from Ed Randle's gun that was intended for another negro at the Katy shop construction camp Thursday night. The bullet entered at the side of the nose and ploughed its way through his head, missing the brain, but fracturing the skull in making an exit at the rear.

### BARACA-PHILATHEA UNION HEARS OF NORFOLK TRIP

Returning Delegates Entertain Members at Columbus Street Baptist Church.

An unusually fine session of the city union of Baraca and Philathea classes was held with the Columbus Street classes. The church is the fortunate possessor of a beautiful lawn, arranged for the holding of the evening services in the open air, and there is where the visitors were welcomed. The program was the best heard at these meetings, and after the usual preliminaries, a solo by Miss Sallie Keith gave promise of the excellent character of the numbers to follow.

Six of the visitors to the world-wide Baraca-Philathea convention at Norfolk, Va., having come back home, were heard. Miss Lena Board recounted some of the dignified (and otherwise) stunts of the party as it traveled to Norfolk. E. L. Best gave an excellent description of their welcome and the Sunday meeting. Miss Willie Davis, as she told of the model meetings of a city union, gave some new ideas as to the conduct of such meetings. Following her, Miss Mamie Keith depicted in graphic style the ideal Philathea, her class and her work. Miss Dorabelle Davis told of the delightful pleasure trips. J. P. Alexander closed the program with a vision of Baraca-Philathea movements.

A movement was set on foot to enlarge the work of this union and to finance the undertaking. A committee is to be appointed soon to make a detailed report of the plan for presentation at the next meeting, the place to be announced later by the executive committee.

### RAILROAD DETECTIVES ON EXPRESS ROBBER'S TRAIL

By The Associated Press.

Asheville, N. C., Aug. 16.—After searching unsuccessfully all night for the robber who held up Express Messenger F. E. Carr between this city and Baltimore on a northbound Southern Railway passenger train last night and looted the safe of less than \$3000, two deputy sheriffs and two local policemen left the case in the hands of the railroad's secret service men. The railroad detective and Superintendent Sadler of Charlotte are expected to arrive here and take up the search today.

### TENNIS RESULTS.

By The Associated Press.

Southampton, N. Y., Aug. 16.—N. W. Niles of Boston and J. F. Johnson of Philadelphia won their places in the finals of the Men's club singles here today. Johnson defeated R. L. Williams, and Niles beat E. P. Young, brother of the national champion.

In the semi-finals of the doubles, W. J. Clothier and G. P. Gardner beat Biddle and R. N. Williams. M. E. McLoughlin and T. C. Bundy in their round beat Niles and Dabney, former Harvard star, and in the semi-finals they beat Johnson and C. F. Watson Jr.

### NOMINATION RECALLED.

By The Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The nomination of Secundino Romero as United States marshal for New Mexico, confirmed by the senate late yesterday, was recalled in an executive session tonight. Senator Bacon, who made the motion to recall the confirmation, said charges had been made before the judiciary committee that Romero, while sheriff, had assaulted former Judge E. V. Long of New Mexico. The appointment will be taken up again early next week.

### OKLAHOMA PROGRESSIVES TO PUT FULL TICKET IN FIELD

By The Associated Press.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Aug. 16.—A full state ticket will be placed in the field in Oklahoma by the progressive party. This was decided here this afternoon at a meeting of the state central committee and a sub-committee of 10 was appointed by Chairman McDonald for the purpose of selecting candidates.

## HOUSE IS FORCED TO TAKE SUBSTITUTE PLAN

PARCELS POST BILL NOW HAS HOOKED ON TO IT AN EXPERIMENTAL SYSTEM.

By The Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 16.—As the result of a renewal of Republican Leader Mann's fight to get a direct vote on the Bourne-Bristow parcels post amendment which the senate put into the postoffice appropriation bill, the house today was forced to adopt a substitute plan offered by democratic leaders.

Mr. Mann forced a reconsideration of the vote by which the bill was sent into conference. He then moved that it again be sent to conference and the house conferees be instructed to agree to the senate's parcels post plan.

As a substitute for this, Chairman Moon of the postoffice committee offered a new plan for an experimental system confined to fourth-class mail matter and farm products. The scheme was based on the "zone system," as was the senate's plan, and charges ranging from 5c to 15c a pound and a limit of weight of fifteen pounds for a package. The Moon substitute was adopted by a vote of 143 to 86.

Representative Mann's motion was substantially defeated. The bill was then sent to conference, where the conflicting provisions will be adjusted.

## ROOSEVELT NOT THE MAN

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"that when the people came to understand what sort of service they were getting those seats would be permanently vacated. I don't believe that the people of this country are going to find any measure of relief from that condition by meandering off into unexplored fields under the guidance of a pilot who exercised a very supreme control while we were getting into exactly the same condition that the country is in now."

"I believe the redemption of representative government in this country will be accomplished by the republican party."

As Senator La Follette continued, he grew more earnest. Several times he realized that he had forgotten the original purpose of his speech and interrupted himself. "Go on, go on," urged Senator William Alden Smith, who sat near him.

"I didn't intend to make this sort of a speech—I vow I didn't," said Mr. La Follette. "But I would like to go on. I'm just seething with it. I intend to go on in two or three weeks, night and day. I am going to keep up the fight in the republican party. I think it is the best instrument through which to progress. Now when it is the purpose to make the republican party respond to the purposes for which it was born an attempt is made at Chicago to divert it. It won't succeed. It will only disturb the surface of things a little."

## Deaths and Burials

### FOUND DEAD IN BED.

Mrs. A. J. Weatherbee awoke at her home, 1625 Trice street, at 7 o'clock Friday morning to find her husband, 65 years old, lying dead in bed beside her. He was awake two hours before, she said. Mr. Weatherbee's death was due to an attack of heart disease.

The funeral was held Friday afternoon at Chalk Bluff, his former home. He was a Confederate veteran and a member of Pat Cleburne camp. A widow and several children survive.

### FORMER WACOAN DIES.

The Rev. Tom Smith, who owned a store at Sixth and Webster streets until two years ago, died July 21 in Millersburg, Kentucky, where his boys were attending school. He was pastor of the First Christian church there. He was a former state evangelist of the Christian church here.

### PARSHALL FUNERAL.

The funeral of Harry E. Parshall, the well known Waco man who died Thursday morning, was held Friday afternoon from the residence and from the Catholic church.

### PLUMMER BACK WITH CAR.

D. R. Plummer of Waco, who drove a National car to victory twice in the Galveston beach races, returned to Waco last night from Fort Worth, where he made a reliability run. The car is still traveling on high gear.

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## SENATE SUSTAINS THE PRESIDENT'S VETOES

NECESSARY TWO-THIRDS MAJORITY LACKING ON WOOL AND METAL MEASURES.

By The Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The senate today voted to sustain the vetoes of the president on the wool and metal tariff revision bill. On the metal bill the motion to override the president did not even obtain a majority. On neither measure did the vote approach the necessary two-thirds.

Senator Simmons called up the metal bill, which was first disposed of. Without debate a roll-call vote was taken and 32 senators voted in favor of overriding the veto. Thirty-eight voted against passage. No republicans voted to pass the bill.

Senator La Follette made the motion to re-pass the wool bill. He asserted that the bill was a protective tariff measure and was framed according to the tariff board's report. He compared the tariff board's report with the bill. Senator La Follette asserted that the failure of the president to accept the "judgment of congress" was the usurpation of power.

Senator Heyburn answered Mr. La Follette and denounced the bill as a democratic measure. When the vote finally was taken 39 senators voted in favor of passing the bill and 36 against it. The following republicans voted with the democrats to override the wool veto: Senators Bristow, Clapp, Crawford, La Follette, Poin-dexter and Works.

### DIPLOMATIC FAMILY IS NOMINATED BY PRESIDENT

Long List Placed in the Hands of Senate—Many Promotions and a Number of New Men.

By The Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 16.—President Taft sent a number of diplomatic and consular nominations to the senate today. A majority are promotions but there are many new appointments, all based on examinations.

The new appointees are Craig Wadsworth of New York, a former rough rider and second secretary of embassy at London, which office he resigned in 1909. He is named as secretary of the legation at Tcheren, Persia. Ralph B. Strassburger of New York, a naval academy graduate, is named as secretary of the legation at Bucharest. Harry E. Nolan of Washington state, a Yale graduate and a researcher, becomes secretary of the legation at Panama. Fairman R. Furness of Pennsylvania, a Harvard man, goes to St. Petersburg as third secretary of embassy.

Hallett Johnson of New Jersey, a young New York lawyer and Columbia graduate, is made third secretary of embassy at London in place of Sheldon L. Crosby, also of New York, who becomes first secretary at Bangkok, Siam.

Henry F. Tenant of New York, a young lawyer with former diplomatic experience in the Lisbon legation, re-enters the service as third secretary of embassy in the City of Mexico.

Transfers among the secretaries in diplomatic service are as follows: Hoffman Phillips of the District of Columbia returns to his old post as secretary of embassy at Constantinople.

William W. Andrews of Ohio is transferred from secretary of legation at Panama to be secretary of legation at Lisbon.

Franklin M. Gunther of Virginia goes from Lisbon to be second secretary at Rio.

Alexander Benson of Pennsylvania is transferred from St. Petersburg to be the second secretary at Rome.

Fred A. Sterling of Texas is promoted from third secretary to be secretary at St. Petersburg and Frank B. Arnold, third secretary in Mexico City, becomes secretary at Tokio.

Among promotions in the consular service are these:

James E. Dunning of Portland, Me., former consul general at large.

Heaton W. Harris of Allen, Ohio, consul general at large in Europe, to be consul general at Frankfurt-on-the-Main.

Edward A. Norton of Memphis, from Tenn. from Bombay, to be consul general at Singapore.

Edyard A. Norton of Memphis, from Malaga to Bombay.

Claude I. Dawson of Anderson, S. C., from Puerto Cortes, Honduras, to Valencia, Spain.

In addition to the diplomatic and consular appointments the president named Edward J. Rodrigue to be surveyor of customs at New Orleans, succeeding L. P. Bryant, whose resignation was requested. It is said, for political activity on behalf of the progressive party.

### SENATE CONFIRMS.

By The Associated Press.

Washington, Aug. 16.—The senate in executive session tonight confirmed the appointments of Brig. Gen. Clarence R. Edwards as an officer of the army; Col. Frank McIntyre as chief of the bureau of insular affairs, with rank of brigadier general; Col. E. Z. Steever, Fourth cavalry, as brigadier general; Col. George Andrews as adjutant general of the army with rank of brigadier general, and a number of minor military appointments.

No action was taken, however, on the appointment of Brig. Gen. W. W. Witherspoon as a major general to succeed the late Maj. Gen. Frederick D. Grant.

Failure to act on this appointment prevented action on that of Col. John M. McClelland to succeed General Witherspoon as a brigadier general.

Frank R. Garrett of Gatesville arrived in Waco Thursday to join the engineering corps at the Katy construction yards. Mr. Garrett has been connected with several important projects in the state, among which was the survey for the Stephenville and North-western railroad.

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## STRIKES SEND ENGLAND'S COST OF LIVING SKYWARD

London, Aug. 16.—The real interest to the public of the continual strikes with which England is now distracted, until strikes rather than work seems to have become the normal condition, is not so much the victory of one side or another, but the ultimate effect on the cost of living. For the last few years, concurrent with the decreasing value of it, there has been a steady rise in the price of food, and although large new areas for growing foodstuffs have been put in cultivation in Canada, Australia and South America, the price of land has risen everywhere in the new world, and more than neutralized the lowering of the price of food that would have been taken place.

In addition there are some signs that the growth of population has outstripped the increase in supplies. But to these causes, which are of world-wide effect, the strikes which afflict us are an additional lever to force up the price of food. A comparison of last year's prices with those of say 1907, will show a rise of over 10 per cent in many of the best qualities of food.

It is quite clear that wages have not kept pace with the rise in prices, and that is the cause of part of the present industrial trouble; but, unfortunately, the increase in transport workers' wages, although it brings about an equilibrium of household budgets in that particular industry, only makes matters worse for others, since the increased wages of the transport laborers—and a little more to round off figures for the middleman—is promptly added to the price of the goods in the shops. The transport workers, if they get their pound of flesh, will cut it out of the public's side.

## CHILDREN PLAY WITH SKULL ON SANTA FE STREETS

Santa Fe, N. M., Aug. 16.—Passers-by were horrified today to see a bunch of boys dancing and war-whooping around a grinning skull on top of a fence post. Investigation showed that they had secured the ghastly trophy where workmen were digging a trench near the federal building. The men unearthed a coffin and dumped it out in the street, the wood falling away so that the bones fell out and the boys immediately appropriated the skull. The police were at once notified and arrangements were made to re-inter the remains. A rusty name plate on the coffin showed the body was that of one James Eppert, buried in 1873 in the hillside.

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KATE FRIEND, Editor

### REVEREND AND MRS. GRIER WILL HAVE TEMPORARY HOME

Before their automobile trip to Galveston, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Grier arranged to be temporarily in a cottage on Fourteenth and Morrow. This is to await the plans of the Second Presbyterian congregation for a new manse.

### MR. AND MRS. JAS. QUARLES ARE NOW WACOANS

Among the recent acquisitions in social circles are Mr. and Mrs. James Hays Quarles, who have come to Waco to remain permanently. They are already in their own home, 724 North Twentieth. Both Mr. and Mrs. Quarles have formerly resided here, and both have hosts of friends who have hastened to express pleasure that they are returned.

### MISS JESSIE CHAMBERLAIN SPENDS WINTER IN EUROPE

There has come from Provincetown, Massachusetts, a clipping which gives account of Miss Jessie Cora Chamberlain's entertainment at her summer home, Billowcrest, of the New England Press Association. The guests went out from Boston by automobile for a purely social outing. All Provincetown contributed to the entertainment, both men and women. Miss Chamberlain gave an evening reception, was hostess-in-chief during the visit. Mr. Chamberlain and Miss Chamberlain send as their next address a pension in Rome where they are soon sailing to spend another winter abroad.

### GOODHUE-RICHARDSON MARRIED IN BEAUMONT

The news arrived on Friday that the marriage of Miss Geraldine Richardson, granddaughter of Judge and Mrs. G. H. Gerald of this city, to John F. Goodhue had occurred. This was at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Richardson. Following the ceremony was a reception, the details being heralded as brilliant. Immediate departure followed for New York City whither passage will be taken for a European tour. Mr. and Mrs. Goodhue include a visit to the mother of the former, now Mrs. Josephine Goodhue Leckie of Birmingham, England. They do not return to America before October, when they make their permanent home in Beaumont.

### MORNING WITH MRS. COLGIN FOR VISITING MATRONS

One of the real pleasures of the new passing week found Mrs. Irwin Colgin receiving into her Austin Heights home a company invited to pass a morning with two charming visitors, Mrs. Richard Connor of Austin, who is with her Waco relatives, and Mrs. Williams, who is down from Kentucky with her daughter, Mrs. Adrian Moore. Mrs. Colgin had no desire to give the formal function. Her choice rather was to bring a few agreeable women into her home for a greeting to her honor guests. There were flowers set about the rooms in attractive but informal way. The refreshment feature was the salad plate, with cooling dainties. Altogether this was a positive pleasure for all concerned. The invitation list reads:

Misses Williams of Alabama, Miss Kate Friend; Mesdames Richard Munroe, Luke Moore, Ellen Adams, Allan Sanford, J. W. Hale, W. E. Darden, W. E. Colgin, W. O. Wilkes, O. L. Stribling, S. M. McAshan, Walter Lacy, George Willig, Susan Lyle, Downs, S. E. Shelton, Lee Nebitt, William Edmond, Ben Gray Kendall, Gilbert Hay of Houston, William Early, Sidney Burrows, Merchant Colgin, R. H. Hill.

### WOMEN ARE INTERESTED IN REMOVAL OF HATS

A number of women have mentioned their interest in the wearing of hats during the church service. Mrs. Alfred Godshaw refers to the change in religious customs as sometimes being in purification of extraneous ideas which have grafted themselves into religious observance. She says the custom of the men wearing hats in the synagogue was one. It seems that the turbaned worshipper, owing to the complication of arranging his head dress, and the time taken to

prepare, gave him dispensation to enter the Temple with it on. This in some way came to be regarded as a feature of worship and for many centuries the Jews clung to the custom as inherited from their forefathers. Mrs. S. E. Stratton in referring to the custom of the women in the Central Christian congregation, reports all hats worn for the morning service, but none in the evening open-air congregation. It looks as though the women are now becoming sufficiently interested in this subject to make some uniform plan for our city.

### CLUB SORORITY DINNER; MISS CAUFIELD HOSTESS

During the Friday night dinner out at the Huaco club all interest centered in a dinner part of twelve. In this Miss May Dee Caufield was hostess in compliment to the Misses Gould of Austin. Being members of the same State University sorority gave the impetus for both invitation and decoration. Miss Caufield invited to be her guests the six Pi Beta Phi girls who are in the city, the Misses Gould being among these. The color theme was the wine and the silver blue of the Pi Phi. The carnation is the sorority flower, hence its place of honor in the center of the table. The two colors appeared in bows for the plate cards which carried also the sorority monogram. Twelve were in the circle and twelve enjoyed to the utmost this courtesy from Miss Caufield. Adjournment from the table found the men escorting the young ladies to the ball room above to become participants in the weekly club dance.

### A UNIQUE INVITATION HAS BEEN ISSUED

Among the members of the Second Presbyterian congregation is the body known as the Earnest Workers. And, it might be added by way of passing, that these seem also a body of earnest players. Each circle within the organization is pledged towards a certain fund. Therefore, one of these circles has planned a party which the following rhymed invitation explains: On Monday eve at 8 o'clock Lots of fun we'll have in stock. At 1705 Barnard street At the home of the Lees our friends we'll greet.

Put on the "tackiest" garb that you can. You'll be fined if you don't—do you understand? But a prize will be yours if you should be.

The "tackiest" in the crowd—whoopee! A free will offering, too, we'll take. And, oh, do come for this offering's sake.

Come, do your part, and don't be shirkers. For in so doing you'll help Earnest Workers.

### MRS. MERCHANT COLGIN HAS CARDS FOR MISSES BYARS

During Friday morning there was assembled by invitation in the home of Mrs. Merchant Colgin, a double score of society girls bidden to make a bridge circle in compliment to the Misses Byars, who are visitors from Houston. Mrs. Colgin has the last of the season in her home garden. These she arranged in center basket effect for her table and added the trays for white mints as the picture effect. Golden rods was patron of the game the crystal bowl of frozen punch accompanied by the sandwich tray appeared. Also, there was added to the company several of the matron neighbors. The prizes fell to Miss Roselle Gould of Austin and Miss Roberta Early. The honorees have as their souvenirs of this pleasant introduction into Waco society dainty glove handkerchiefs. Those who were thus afforded a more than pleasant morning are: Misses Zue Byars, Jessie Byars, Roselle Gould of Austin, Kathleen Gould of Austin, Alice Lee Boynton, Lelia May Henry of Washington City, Frances Luedde, Pauline Foster, Ira Orand, Marjorie Crawford, Roberta Early, Rosalie Sturgis, Young of San Antonio, Lydia Clinton, Beuna Clinton, Westbrook of

# SPECIAL SATURDAY BARGAINS

Our recent efforts in offering special inducements on Saturdays have met with such marked approval from our patrons that we have decided to make this end-of-the-week selling a distinct feature of this store. FOR TODAY, AUG. 17, WE OFFER THE FOLLOWING ITEMS AT GREATLY REDUCED PRICES FOR ALL-DAY SELLING

## In the Men's Aisle Clothing Clean-Up

The last word in the final clearance "round-up." It's the "Can't-Be-Beat" brand we are slaughtering. For elegance of fit, perfection of workmanship and selection of materials, this make of Men's Ready-to-Wear Clothing takes first rank. HALF PRICE is their finish.

**\$25.00 SUITS AT \$12.50**  
**\$22.50 SUITS AT \$11.25**  
**\$20.00 SUITS AT \$10.00**  
**\$18.00 SUITS AT \$9.00**  
**\$16.50 SUITS AT \$8.25**  
**\$15.00 SUITS AT \$7.50**  
**\$12.50 SUITS AT \$6.25**

## STRAW HATS—MEN'S AND BOYS'

The stock is low, the assortment fair. Prices cut in two. Two months yet of Straw Hat season. It's an opportunity.

## THE LAST CHANCE ON TRUNKS

See them in the Men's side. Last day at One-Third Off. Cheaper than repairing the old one.

## TOILET SOAPS

A lot of boxed Toilet Soaps, three cakes in a box, each cake wrapped; rose, lilac and violet scented; 25c values, at 19c per box

## IN THE SHOE DEPARTMENT

\$3.00 and \$3.50 Men's Low Shoes **\$2.25** at, choice

A counter sale of Men's Low Shoes, in tans, gun metal, viol kid and patent leather; were \$3.00 and \$3.50 values; **\$2.25** special for today, choice only

**\$5.00 MEN'S LOW SHOES REDUCED TO \$3.95**

Our entire lot of Men's \$5.00 Low Shoes, in all leathers, the best values ever offered at this price; specially priced **\$3.95** for today at only

**\$4.00 LADIES' LOW SHOES, RED CROSS BRAND, AT \$3.25**

The most stylish and durable line of \$4.00 Ladies' Shoes ever produced, all styles and leathers, featured for to-day's selling at, per pair **\$3.25**

## MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Fine grade Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, short or long sleeve shirts, the best 50c value ever offered; today's price **39c**

Boys' Rompers, the 50c quality, in check or striped gingham; today's price **39c**

## RIBBON SPECIALS

For today, all day, in good assortment of popular colors.

**5c Quality at 4c**  
**10c Quality at 8c**  
**15c Quality at 12c**  
**25c Quality at 19c**

## EMBROIDERY FLOUNCINGS

27-inch Embroidered Lawn Flouncings, beautiful, sheer quality, regular 60c **39c** quality, today at a yard

## LADIES' WASH DRESSES

A counter lot specially priced to clean up today. They are of chambray, gingham, batiste and some white lawns, at HALF PRICE. Don't overlook them.

## WASH PETTICOATS

Splendid values, of striped and plain seersucker, ruffled flounce; were 60c, **39c** specially priced for today at

## LAWN KIMONOS

One lot Figured Lawn Kimonos, V neck style, 3-4 sleeves, self-color border trimmed, the \$1.00 kind, reduced to **69c**

## COOK APRONS

One lot Checked Gingham Aprons, four-inch ruffles, with two pockets, 35c values, at **19c**

## WASH SILK SPECIAL

A lot of Fancy Figured and Striped Wash Silks, in assorted colors, 28 inches wide; they were 65c a yard; priced for today's selling at a yard **49c**

A lot of Eoline, a silk and cotton mixture, in white grounds with colored floral designs; were 60c a yard; today's price, a yard **33c**

## Extra Specials for Saturday's Selling from 6 p. m. to 9. p. m.

A counter lot of Boys' Straight Pants Suits, in dark or light materials, broken lots of regular \$3.00 to \$5.00 lines; tonight from 6 to 9 o'clock, choice at **98c**

Boys' All-Wool Knickerbocker Suits, summer weights only, in light or dark colors; were \$3.50 to \$6.50; to clean them up tonight, choice **\$2.45**

Men's Summer Wash Coats. If you must wear a Coat these sultry days, here's comfort at small cost; \$1.50 was the regular price; as long as they last tonight at only **50c**

A big snap in Men's Work Pants; medium weight; values up to \$1.50; your pick tonight for **45c**

A table full of Children's Low Shoes, about 150 pairs in the lot; they are in broken lots, but, my, what values. Sizes 8-12 to 11, all leathers; sold for \$1.50 to \$2.50; help yourself tonight at, choice, a pair **85c**

Ladies' Hand Bags—One lot of Bags, fancy embroidered, plain and moire lined, black and tan, 35c values, for tonight at only **18c**

One lot Black Seal Grain Bags, covered frames, moire lined, were 60c, specially priced for tonight at **38c**

One lot 27-inch Flouncings, beautiful embroidery designs, 10 to 12 inches deep; regular price was 35c; for tonight, a yard, **18c** only

One lot Ladies' Voile Dresses, white grounds with assorted colored borders; values \$2.50; specially priced for tonight at **98c**

One lot Children's White Lawn Dresses, neatly trimmed in embroidery, ages 6 to 14; \$1.50 to \$2.00 values; tonight at **79c** only

# MISTROT-CALAHAN COMPANY

## BIRTHDAY IN LOS ANGELES OF FORMER WACOAN

There has come from Los Angeles a copy of the Times which contains a picture of a birthday dinner group. The celebrant was Mrs. M. B. Smyth, formerly of Waco, a devout member of the Presbyterian church here, and held in pleasant memory by many of the congregation, as well as by personal friends. Mrs. Smyth is the mother of Willard Jackson of this city. She has just reached her 82nd birthday. The Los Angeles Times speaks of this as a notable occasion and refers to the presence of an old family servant who had been associated with Mrs. Smyth since three years of age. The dusky form is plainly seen in the picture. There were gifts and flowers and congratulations from friends everywhere. Gathered for the home celebration were twenty-four descendants, even to great-grandchildren. Miss Hazel Jackson of Waco, was prominently mentioned. Mrs. Smyth makes her home with her daughter, Mrs. Chalmers Smith, a prominent woman of California. She is past president of the Mothers' congress and has other responsible identification with public work. The reference is to "Mother" Smyth, as she is lovingly known by her California friends.

## MRS. BROWN'S BALCONY CONCERT A SUCCESS

It is not only in the gratifying financial returns that the concert of Mrs. Bland Brown is pronounced a success, but in the real treat afforded by the musicians who responded to Mrs. Brown in making the program. The chairs were arranged on the cool lawn while the balcony was made an outdoor drawing room. Charles Smith, Jr., was master of ceremony. His reading was well worthy a professional program. Mr. Smith's duet with Mrs. Smith was a much applauded number. Mrs. Sallie McCullough Ferguson was quite generous in her contribution, and many thought she had never played so well. The male quartette by Harry Bahl, Orville Hardwick, Willie B. Daniel and Clyde Rayburn gave pleasing contrast to the solos. Mr. Costello was one of the successes of the evening where all were more than cordially received. Miss Maud Brown, the daughter of the household, who is just returned from a year at St. Mary's, Indiana, opened the program and received many compliments upon her first appearance in public. Douglas Brown

was the host of the evening. Many of Mrs. Brown's personal friends were present, also many of the Catholic parish, since the evening was in patronage of the parochial residence fund. It was a decided success from the social, the musical and the financial view points.

## Society Notes.

Mrs. J. S. McClintock is among the last to send post card message home. She, with Miss McClintock, are enjoying Corpus Christi for several weeks.

Mrs. John Sleeper's cards reached home friends on Friday. She wrote of the novel experience of standing upon the veranda of her hotel and witnessing a snow storm on Pike's Peak; also, of quite cold weather and of Texas Day being a great event at Manitou Springs with many Wacoans everywhere.

Mrs. James Mistrot is expecting to be matron of her new home in Highlands with the first of September. This will be the second removal to this beautiful suburban residence.

There is a wee babe in the Walter King household, and Mrs. Minnie Carroll King is being congratulated over her first honors as a grandmother.

The Horne home on South Eighth has been closed for some time. Mr. and Mrs. Horne are at Hot Springs for several weeks. In the meantime, the Misses Horne are with their sister, Mrs. McElvey, in Temple.

H. P. Robertson, Jr., with Earnest Fletcher came over a few nights since from Temple. They were supper guests of Miss Marjorie Crawford, who had by special invitation, Miss Eleanor Blair. Later, the party enjoyed the evening diversions in Mr. Fletcher's handsome car.

A recent fashion note in referring to the skirts of the coming season, said, "The skirts continue with the same enthusiasm for revolution." Will some fashion connoisseur please translate?

Girls, please do not take to the "turkey trot." It really does provoke uncomplimentary criticism. Let social circles of less refinement do this dance.

It is predicted that the popular walking and traveling coat suit will be a blue serge with black velvet collar and cuffs. Was there ever the time when the blue serge was not considered good?

Miss Marie Anderson has returned home with Miss Willie May Meyers to join a house party with Miss Meyers at Bruceville.

In courtesy to her sister, the Miss- opportunity you are looking for.

## MURDEROUS ATTEMPT IS MADE ON NEGRO FAMILY

San Antonio, Tex., Aug. 16.—The second attempt by the axe man to murder James Dashiell, a negro, his wife, Lula E. Dashiell, and their four children, within three months, occurred at four o'clock this morning at their home, 114 Gibbs street. The screams of Lula Dashiell, when an axe wielded in the darkness by the fiend missed crushing her head and struck her left arm, saved the lives of the family. Aroused by the cries of his wife, the husband, James Dashiell, opened fire with a revolver as the would-be murderer rushed out of the house and made his escape.

Darkness only, officers declare, prevented the axe man from successfully carrying out his murder plan. While Mrs. Dashiell lay asleep beside her 15-year-old daughter, Harriett, it was the utter pitch darkness, officers claim, that prevented the axe as it was heavily flung to crush the skull of the woman, from striking the intended victim. Throughout the day Sheriff Tobin and city detectives have been working on an attempt to run down the would-be perpetrator of the third attempt of a wholesale murder in eighteen months.

The entrance into the house was gained through a window in the rear which opened into the kitchen.

## Society Personals.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Groos have made their removal to San Antonio. The following week finds Mrs. Chas. Moore gone to visit her sister, Mrs. Charles Badger in Cleveland, Ohio.

Mrs. F. B. Pace and Mrs. J. B. Powell leave for Tennessee on Sunday.

After a visit to the Jablonski household on North Sixteenth, Miss Clyde Chandler is returning home to Dallas today.

Mrs. W. S. Gillespie returned from Gatesville and is now with her sister, Mrs. Jerome Beam in Saint Louis. From there she goes to California to remain indefinitely.

Reverend and Mrs. J. J. Grier are enjoying a motor trip to Galveston. They will be absent a week.

After her visit with Mrs. Louis Fuller, Miss Mary Fuller of Houston, is with friends in Marlin.

Mrs. Louis Fuller of Provident Heights, is off today for two weeks with friends in Houston.

Mrs. J. C. F. Kyger of Speight street, is at home from Palacios.

Miss Zoe Fitzhugh of Sixteenth and West, is at home from Valley Mills.

Mrs. Lastinger and the Misses Appel, who spent several days at Wacoan Wells, are again at home.

Miss Queen Barnett of Provident Heights, has arrived from her extended visit to South Texas.

Miss Rowena Barnett will be at home from Dallas on Monday. Her aunt, Mrs. Bolanz, will accompany her.

Miss Lelia May Henry is on a return visit from Belton. She is with Miss Pauline Foster.

MRS. DAILY BACK FROM EAST.

Mrs. Daily has just returned from the Eastern markets and now has on display a very pretty line of felt hats in white and colors.

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Pat Cleburne Camp No. 222, United Confederate Veterans, will hold its monthly meeting at the court house, Sunday, Aug. 18, at 3:30 p. m. The annual election of officers will be held. All members and friends, sons of veterans and daughters of the Confederacy are invited.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

It affords us pleasure to make the announcement that Mr. James Hays Quarles has been appointed managing editor of the Waco Morning News. Mr. Quarles formerly lived in Waco and has a wide acquaintance with the people of the city and throughout the state. He has been associated with most of the large dailies of Texas and for the last four years has been publicity manager for the Agricultural & Mechanical College of Texas.

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President News Publishing Company.

G. B. Cady, who has been managing editor of the Morning News since its establishment last October, quits the services of the paper after Sunday night. He will leave within a short time for New Orleans, where he will engage in other newspaper work.

PICKED POCKET OF SHROUD.

There can be nothing more severe than the arraignment of George W. Perkins by Congressman Stanley in congress a few days ago. Mr. Stanley is chairman of the committee which investigated the steel trust. Mr. Perkins is the angel who is financing the Bull Moose party. Mr. Perkins used money of the policyholders of the New York Life Insurance company in 1904 to help the Roosevelt campaign, and speaking of him and his record, Congressman Stanley said:

Who were these pilfered policyholders? The most pathetic and helpless figures in all this vale of tears. The young mother wrapped in the black habiliments of woe, prostrate on the new made grave of her once loving lord, orphans wailing the name of father above the silent dead. He robbed the widow of her slender patrimony and snatched the last crumb from the pinched fingers of helpless childhood. In all the loathsome annals of greed and graft there is nothing so sordid and pitiless as the creature who did it.

This man escaped a prison cell by the skin of his teeth, for having picked the pockets of a shroud for the use and benefit of the Republican party. There can be no charge more severe than this; no words spoken about a man can cut deeper than these, and the intention was that they should cut. Perkins has been prominent in the work of big life insurance companies in this country; he has been the directing officer under whose jurisdiction local agents have pictured the desolation, the poverty and the suffering of the families left unprotected by the plentiful policy, yet he is the man who has been chief looter of the funds that would make those policies of more value when they reached the period of maturity. There can be no disguise of the purpose that he has in mind. He has had the help of Theodore Roosevelt in the past and he wants that help in the future. Roosevelt moves as a pawn between his finger and thumb, and so valuable is he to Perkins and Big Business that Perkins and Big Business are willing to underwrite his campaign. Chairman Stanley has made his arraignment severe. Those words will burn, tough as Perkins has proved to be.

A PROGRESSIVE PLANK.

And we further declare for the enactment of a law requiring the publicity of all campaign contributions and expenditures in all elections, both before and after all elections.

We favor the passage of a law prohibiting the acceptance of money for the making of political speeches in all elections, and prescribing severe penalties for the circulation of campaign lies and slanders for the purpose of injuring persons who may be aspirants for public office.

The above portion of the plank in the Democratic state platform grows more entertaining the more it is read and understood, and it is a declaration that will have a good and wholesome effect on the minds of the people of this state, it matters not what the political belief of the individual. It is the most advanced step in the matter of regulating campaign expenses that has ever been taken by a political party, and it is so broad that it covers a multitude of sins of omission and commission.

That it be understood, it must be read in its broadest sense. It declares for a law requiring the publication of all "contributions and expenditures in all elections." This does not mean an election for an office only, but it means an election for a bond issue for good

roads or for a school tax, a stock election, a local option election, or an election for any office from constable to president. No party can go farther in its covenant with the people than that it will require honesty in political affairs—and every election, it matters not what it is, is a political affair. Those who contribute must be enrolled. Those who are receivers of the funds which are distributed must be enumerated and named, and in framing such a law the legislature will be justified in going to the fullest length in making it stringent in its every provision.

But there is more in this declaration. There can be no pay for speakers. Men who go upon the stump in behalf of any person or any cause must do so from patriotic purposes. They will not be allowed to accept fees or salary; there are to be no emoluments, but when they appear before their fellow men to advocate the election of this man or that one, or when they urge the merits of one cause or another one, they must do it pro bono publico, and the people will know it is for such purpose that they come before them.

Profiting by the experience of the people in other states who have seen their highest offices go to the men who had the most open purse and were the most liberal distributors of wealth, Texas Democrats have reached a point of progress that is far in advance of any section of these United States. With such a pledge backed by the dominant party of this state, with a governor pledged to sign the law when passed, and with a legislature which is ready to accept the mandate of the party in convention expressed, there is no doubt that the present election law of the state will be so amended as to make secure and binding this declaration of the party.

The News endorses every word and syllable of the platform declaration. It accepts it with the good faith that we have in the people's representatives to do the right thing by the people of the state, and there has never been a proposition put up to law-makers and executive that is more righteous than this one.

RAILROAD PRACTICES.

A few days ago we remarked that it gave one a poor impression of the sagacity of the people of this state to read a resolution passed by the wholesale grocers of South Texas condemning the service they are getting in the moving of canned goods from Baltimore to Galveston, and then glance at the next column and find an item to the effect that fruit and vegetables have been rotting on the ground in East Texas because of there being no market for them. We thought that perhaps the wholesale grocers should also have gone on record as favoring the development of home canneries and indicated that they were ready and anxious to handle Texas canned goods and to assist in the erection and operation of Texas fruit and vegetable packing plants.

It has since occurred to us to investigate the subject further and get more light on the reasons that must be accepted in explanation of the backwardness of the Texas canning industry. We looked up the freight rates and found the answer.

Here's one example of many that will serve to illuminate the situation. There is a canner at San Benito, in South Texas, who puts up vegetables and fruit that have been pronounced the equal of any and the superior of many of the Northern and far Western goods. He is a product of the development the promoters of the Brownsville road, so-called, have been instrumental in bringing about. Yet when he undertakes to distribute his product the traffic authorities of that road decline to do anything for him. Baltimore canned goods are laid down in Dallas or Beaumont, say, on a freight rate that is as low as the one the San Benito man can yet—and it is a one-line haul from his station to Beaumont.

The same traffic department that is responsible for this particular condition of affairs not so very long ago appeared before the Texas railroad commission in defense of rates that were made for the purpose of enabling Oklahoma cement manufacturers to ship their product into Texas and compete with Texas cement manufacturers. It also indulges in the practice, common to the traffic departments of all the southwestern lines, of making rates for the benefit of Kansas brick manufacturers and Kansas City Burlington, Keokuk and other Missouri and Mississippi river crossing producers of pickles, condiments and groceries' sundries seeking to control the Texas market against Texas competitors. And when these southwestern lines cannot help these outsiders out by the rate route, they allow them to mix their shipments so that they can make less than carload shipments at carload rates that are based on the rate carried by the low-

est rated article in the mixture. To return to the South Texas wholesale grocers, the resolution in which they referred with displeasure to the delay that marks the movement of canned goods from Baltimore to Galveston suggested the establishment of a line of ships to ply between those points, to do away with the practice of first moving those goods from Baltimore to New York by rail to be there placed aboard Galveston-bound ships. That was a good suggestion, but it will not be followed because the railroads running out of Baltimore insist on getting something out of the haul and threaten to make war if steamships are run from Baltimore to Galveston direct and they are deprived of what they collect for hauling Texas-bound Baltimore goods to New York before they are started on their journey to Texas. In other words the Texas consumer is compelled to pay tribute, without necessity and for no good reason, to the railroads running between Baltimore and New York, and the Texas steamship and railroad lines simply submit to the shrinkage in their revenues this practice produces. Yet they will not make rate concessions that would stimulate the development of canneries in Texas, even though by so doing they might free themselves of the domination of the eastern lines.

These things are not recited in a spirit of antagonism to the railroads, for we are not railroad baiters. They are brought forth for no other purpose than to show that there is no logic in the movement of traffic; that the railroads are in need of traffic men with common sense. And they are enlarged upon for the further purpose of showing that the work of railroad regulation has hardly begun.

PLANK NUMBER FIVE.

In Plank No. 5 of the Democratic state platform there is a declaration in favor of the legislature exercising its police power in the matter of the closing of saloons between a certain hour of the evening and a certain hour of the morning. It is an expression of the Democracy of the state in favor of regulating it, and all men should be willing to give it support. The anti-prohibitionists who controlled the convention have recorded their judgment in favor of it and the prohibitionists in Texas will willingly accept the law as it is proposed. The plank as it refers to the closing hours reads:

We favor the enactment of a law by the next legislature which will require every saloon in the state to close its place of business at 9:30 o'clock p. m. each week day and to keep the same closed until 6 o'clock a. m. the following day and from 9:30 p. m. Saturday until 6 a. m. on Monday, and empower any incorporated city or town to close saloons earlier after sunset if the people of such city or town deem it advisable.

There was a time in Texas when the saloons were under no restriction whatever as to the time when they opened and the time when they closed and there were saloons in Texas where there were no doors and there was never a time but a man was on duty. Public opinion did not favor the "all night" saloon, and this public opinion included men who were antis as well as those who were pros. Therefore, the all night saloon went out of business. Unused doors were brought from the warehouse and were hung upon old hinges, and when midnight struck, every door swung to its fastenings, and every man went off watch. Public opinion has declared for regulation hours of shorter duration than now provided by law, and the Democracy of the state, with the antis in control of the convention, has declared that it shall be so.

This will virtually inaugurate an eight-hour day of labor for the man who works in a saloon, and this is pretty much a time of eight-hour days.

This declaration of the Democracy will do much to satisfy the people of the state in the matter of saloon regulation. It is not so severe as to bring opposition from the men who have been lifelong anti-prohibitionists because of the principles which are inherent in their American manhood and it is a regulation strong enough to satisfy the people of the pro element who have wanted to enact some law that would reduce the hours in which the saloons were allowed to conduct their business affairs. That it is a regulation that is satisfying to a majority of the people of the state, every one must admit. It was advocated by Governor Colquitt in his opening speech at Sherman, and was carried by him to every portion of the state in his extensive campaign for governor. He received a strong vote in some of the most decided pro counties of Texas, and he was nominated for governor by a majority that was so emphatic there could be no doubt of the desires of the people. They endorsed him at the polls and in endorsing him they endorsed his suggestion for regulation. It is the will of the people, it will be enacted into a law, and it will quiet much of the agitation that is heard from time to time throughout the state.

Texas Press Comments on the Democratic State Platform

Platform of the State Democracy.

(The Dallas News.)

Plank No. 3 of the democratic platform, that which treats of the educational needs of this state, is of heart of oak. It is a credit to the party, gives every citizen reason to exult, and should be inspirational to all workers in this splendid cause. It pledges the party in a most explicit way to the enactment of nearly if not quite every proposal that has been advocated by those who are the authorized spokesmen of the educational forces of the state, and furthermore, as if fearful that something had inadvertently been omitted, it seems to give the legislature a commission to do whatever else may be thought necessary to enlarge and perfect our school system.

Plank No. 13, that which "indorses" a measure to permit railroads to issue bonds for permanent improvements, is equally unexceptional. This pledge ought to be redeemed without a dissenting vote from any democratic member of the legislature. The plank immediately following, relating to the same general subject, is instinct of a spirit of progress and enlightened liberalism, but is subject to the criticism it seems to us, of being a bit vague. It "pledges" the party to the enactment of a law to direct the railroad commission to ascertain its just present value, and then to authorize railroad companies to issue securities to the extent of that valuation or revaluation. The criticism we should make of this plank is that it prescribes no rule for the ascertainment of this "just present value." As we understand the matter, the railroad commission stands ready to revalue any railroad property; the crux of the disagreement between that body and the railroads has been as to the rule for the ascertainment of values. If that is so, this plank could hardly be thought to advance the matter very considerably, except as it pledges the legislature to a consideration of the whole subject.

It does enunciate a policy, an enlightened policy; and if the legislature shall be guided by the spirit of the policy which it enunciates it will devise a rule that will be just to the railroads and promotive of the welfare of the state.

We regret that so few of the twenty-one other planks command such praise. Some of them are unexceptionable to be sure; but they relate mostly to matters of minor importance or to subjects concerning which there is no serious controversy, and on which we may be sure the legislature would have acted without the spur of any platform direction. Dismissing such as these from consideration, the other planks relating to taxation and controversial matters excepted, the only plank that it is possible for platform builders to commit. The most conspicuous of these faults is vagueness. The language of some of these planks is so confused as to leave one in doubt whether this resulted from a desire to be equivocal or from an inability to construct clear and precise sentences. As a literary production it is well-nigh a monstrosity; and if we could think that this defect is not the result of design, we should say it gives poignant proof of the need of that legislation to which the party commits itself in plank 3.

The most glaring, the most obtrusive fault is, of course, that plank No. 7, which relates to judicial reform. We reserve this for separate and more particular treatment for the reason that the convention itself handled it in an odd way. It refers, or better, merely alludes to the subject in its platform, but seems to have supplemented that declaration by a resolution adopted separately. What the two conjointly mean is a question which deserves to be independently considered.

The plank on liquor legislation was not it seems to us, worth the controversy which it occasioned. While entertaining no dramatic opinions about the matter, we are nevertheless disposed to think that the virtue of late opening and early closing of saloons has been greatly, and even grotesquely exaggerated. As it is now, saloons are required to close at 12 o'clock midnight, and we doubt very much whether the closing of them two and a half hours earlier will have any very powerful effect on the morals of any community, while it is at least conceivable that the effect will be quite the reverse of that expected by the advocates of this measure. Another pledge is for the enactment of a law that will permit communities which permit the sale of liquors at all to determine by referendum vote whether they shall be sold by the drink or the package. We at least entertain some doubt whether such a measure as this would be promotive of temperance. It would encourage a manner of buying which would cheapen liquor, reduce the expense of consuming it. We fear, in a word, that there is more danger in a package than in a drink, and accordingly, we can view only with mingled anxiety and misgiving any measure which would encourage that large army who buy only by the drink, and that only occasionally, to supply themselves with a bottle or go without. However, this proposal has the sanction of prohibitionists, and we at least hope that the experiment will be tried. That further legislation which the platform pledges, to permit towns and cities to restrict saloon areas is, of course, wholly wise. It is an application of home rule, and could be commended for that reason if there were no other.

The heaviest criticism to be made of this plank is the fact that it does not penetrate to the heart, but merely pricks the surface of the problem. There can be no genuine effort to eradicate, or minimize the saloon evil that does not comprehend a high license, a license graduated, perhaps, to varying populations, but nevertheless much higher than that now imposed. Impose a high license, and then make forfeiture the certain penalty for any infraction of law, and the regulation of saloons becomes easy, or at least comparatively so. For one thing, it would exclude from the business men without either substance or character; it would reduce greatly the number of saloons in every community and thereby give the proprietors of saloons the most constraining of all reasons, that of self-interest, not only for obeying the laws, but of deferring to public opinion. This plank on the liquor question voices the ideas of the politician and not of the statesman.

We have little space left to devote to the other planks of the platform. That which pledges the enactment of a law to prevent the hauling of stock in wild-cat, "get-rich-quick" corporations is commendable in its purpose, but it must be very apparent that those who composed it were at a loss as to the method of accomplishing the end. Only a little more than three lines make the plank with respect to the care of the insane, and this is a case where brevity has no virtue, for the plank merely recommends that "the next legislature make ample appropriation to provide asylum room for every insane person in the state." Governor Colquitt has said that such provision already has been made, so that if we are to accept both his statement and this direction of the platform, the legislature will have nothing to do under this head. The method of committing people to insane asylums is faulty, even barbarous; but this plank is silent as to that grave phase of the matter.

The promise of a civil service law, of a state board of charities, for an employees' compensation act, for good roads legislation—all of these are commendable, though some of them are vague. There are other planks, some of them commendable and some of them otherwise, but we reserve these for future consideration.

Politics and Liquor.

(Houston Chronicle.)

It is most unfortunate that the question of regulation or prohibition should have been made to such an extent the subject of discussion and debate at San Antonio.

It is not normally a political question, but one essentially relating to the "police power" of the state.

Every state and city government in the nation exercises the power of regulation, as regards the saloon, to such an extent and in such way as is not applied to any other business, and when such action is so universal and is recognized and accepted as a reasonable and necessary exercise of power, it must be because all men know that it is required to protect the public and secure social order.

All men, antis as well as pros, recognize that there are certain evils incident to the liquor traffic which do not adhere to any other. No man has ever advocated a repeal of the statute requiring saloons to close on election days, and no man ever thought of submitting that question to a local vote.

There has never been a time for many years when there was not a law saying when saloons should close, and no sensible, reasonable man has ever objected to it, and the legislature should be left to legislate upon the question as it sees fit, as it at least presumably, will reflect the popular will and desire.

Experience has shown that a large proportion of crime arises from the intemperate use of liquor, and it has likewise shown that the earlier saloons close at night the less work the police have to do, and to legislate according to experience has shown will be best for peace and order is the duty of the legislature.

The anti-prohibitionists will not be understood as committing themselves to the policy of prohibition by refraining from opposing such legislation, nor will the pros be understood as compromising on the liquor question by favoring it.

Nothing could possibly be done which would strengthen the prohibition cause so much as would opposition by the antis to early closing of the saloons, and nothing would so much lessen agitation of the prohibition question as for the antis to not only acquiesce in the enactment of an early closing law, but to aid such legislation.

If they have not learned anything from the narrow escape of 1911 they would better do so. If they are not willing to take broken doses of prohibition in the form of reasonable regulation they may have to take it in a drastic dose of statewide prohibition.

The democratic party as a political organization has never declared one way or the other upon the question of prohibition, because it does not look upon it as a political question, but as one belonging solely in the sphere of morals and the "police power." Democrats are divided upon it to the extent of a narrow margin, and Mr. Lane and Mr. Ball may be taken as fair representatives of the opposite sides, and the Chronicle believes the position of the latter is more in harmony with precedent and public sentiment. When he says Governor Colquitt should be supported in every effort to secure early closing hours and other forms of regulation, and that prohibitionists can support him in such efforts without committing themselves to the position that such legislation is all they seek, he speaks most wisely.

Texas wants peace on prohibition, and the surest way to get it is to enact reasonable regulation of the liquor traffic. The surest way not to get it is to defeat such regulation.

The San Antonio Platform.

(Houston Post.)

It will be admitted, we believe, that the San Antonio platform as a whole is admirable. It suggests a line of effort for legislative attention which

if undertaken and executed in good faith will prove of last benefit to the state. It is both constructive and progressive and expresses cogently the verdict the people have recently rendered at the polls, and which now becomes the party's pledge. If the legislature to be elected in November will faithfully comply with these promises and avoid the friction which has so often disturbed its councils during the past six years, Colquitt's second administration will go down into history as one of the most beneficial the people of Texas has ever known.

The plank favoring a more liberal and progressive attitude toward the public free schools and to the institutions of higher learning is explicit. It represents the best thought of the Governor and of the leaders of education in Texas. It recognizes the principle that education is the cornerstone of an enduring civilization and attests that Texas aspires to leadership in the realm of enlightened progress.

The warehouse plank pledges the party to a policy that will insure to the welfare of agriculture and protect our producers against such influences and combinations at home or abroad that may attempt to despoil them. No higher duty will confront the next legislature than a substantial compliance with the pledge for an adequate warehouse system.

The recommendation for an amendment to the stock and bond law that will promote the building and improvement of railroads is so wise that it will readily appeal to the good sense of the legislature. Governor Colquitt recommended a similar measure to the Thirty-second legislature, but it failed for well-known reasons. The fear that the modification of the law may result in evil is unfounded, since the needed flexibility may be given the statute without in any sense imperiling the public welfare.

The recommendation for judicial reform complies with the Governor's pledge in that respect, and the legislature ought not longer to delay this most important work.

The board of charities to have supervision of the asylums and eleemosynary institutions, which the platform declares for, ought to be established. It will make for good administration and efficiency and take these institutions entirely out of politics.

The platform declarations upon the good roads, public health, penitentiary management and election laws are sound and consonant with the public welfare, and the liquor plank, which is discussed in another article, is a fair compromise of a question that ought to embroil the state no longer when the pledge it contains shall have been carried into effect.

The platform in its entirety is so liberal and constructive that all democrats are able to stand upon it and co-operate to bring about the era of political peace and legislative rest which the people have so decisively declared they desire.

Liquor Legislation.

(San Antonio Express.)

The Colquitt platform as originally drafted demanded the enactment of a law by the next legislature which will require every saloon in the state to close at 9:30 o'clock p. m. each week day and keep closed until 7:30 o'clock a. m. the following day, and empower any incorporated city or town to close them earlier in the evening if the people of such city or town deem it advisable.

Also a law empowering the city commission or city council to prescribe the district within which intoxicating liquor may be licensed to be sold and to prohibit the location of saloons in the residence districts.

The platform proposed by Judge Ramsey favored a law absolutely removing all saloons from the residence sections of cities and towns, substantially limiting their number and at least doubling the occupation tax now imposed, the passage of a daylight closing bill and a law prohibiting the sale of liquor except in unbroken packages and preventing the drinking of same on or about the premises where sold.

Also a law prohibiting brewers and distillers from engaging in the retail liquor business or becoming bondsmen for those so engaged. Furthermore, the Ramsey platform favored the enactment of a law prohibiting, under severe penalties, the shipment of intoxicating liquors from any point in the state into local option territory to be sold therein.

This indicates the relative position of the Colquitt and Ramsey contentions, with extremists on the one side demanding no concession to the liquor interests and on the other side no consideration for the prohibitionists. The wisdom of the convention overshadowed that of the extremists.

The Democratic Platform.

(San Antonio Express.)

The platform adopted by the democratic state convention is a plain, forceful enumeration of party faith as represented in the convention, covering practically all the questions which are of material interest in a political way at this time, making numerous demands of undoubted merit, and it is one upon which all democrats not swayed by prejudice or radical opinion can readily stand.

There is no uncertainty about the demand for greater aid for the state's educational institutions and for the better support of the public schools, in this respect being in perfect harmony with previous platforms and doubtless reflecting the views of a very large majority of the citizens of the state, regardless of political affiliations. The platform calls upon the legislature to divorce the state university and the Agricultural and Mechanical college as essential to the greater success of practical education; it demands better support for the state normal schools and the college

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of industrial arts as well and strongly endorses the proposed constitutional amendment providing for the election of trustees, regents and boards of management for a term of six years. This contemplates the removal of the management of state schools from politics as far as possible, and with two trustees being chosen every two years, no administration will be able to select all the members of the board. The demand that the law shall permit school districts to vote additional tax and enable them to extend the scholastic age to 21 years if they desire to do so, is a good one, as is the demand for a compulsory educational law for idle children.

The liquor plank is in compliance with the pledges made to the people by Governor Colquitt during the recent campaign and appears to be as amicable a solution of the disputed question as was to be expected.

The demand for a general revision of the very complex election law was expected and the convention did well especially to demand that the law shall demand delegates to conventions to comply with the will of the people as expressed in primary elections. The suggestion for the appointment by the legislature of a commission composed of competent attorneys to revise the judicial methods is perhaps as good as could be proposed, and the proposition to so simplify court practice and methods that they will be shorn of much of their verbiage, and what is called among laymen "red tape" may be eliminated to an extent that will permit the trial of cases in the lower courts with greater expedition and facilitate the hearings on appeal.

The proposition so to amend the arbitration law that its provisions may be invoked to compel disputants to submit to them when the interests of the public are made to suffer, will, if properly carried out, avoid much stubborn contention which interferes with commercial and industrial activities. The proposal to inaugurate civil service with the merit system as a basis for appointments and promotions is calculated to insure greater efficiency. If the recommendation for the creation of the office of public highway commissioner should be promptly acted upon by the legislature there will hereafter be more scientific and systematic work on the public roads of the state and the work done will be more lasting and more economical.

The demand that the next legislature shall appropriate sufficient money to provide a place in the asylums for all the insane persons in the state should not only be acted on by the legislature, but it should see to it that never again it be necessary to confine insane patients in county jails longer than may be necessary to have them adjudged insane and conveyed to an asylum.

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# Sporting News and Gossip

## WACO SPLITS A DOUBLE-HEADER

DALLAS TAKES FIRST GAME BY 4-0 SCORE, WACO WINS SECOND 6-2.

## MILLER IS GOAT IN FIRST

Fort Worth Panthers Come Today for Series—Home Games Near—ing End.

(By Whoopie.)

Waco didn't and did yesterday, the "didn't" score being 4 to 0 in favor of Dallas. The "did" end reads 6 to 2 in favor of Waco. The first game was as listless as a pink tea affair to a business man and the agony was drawn out in the second. Feature and bargain day do not go hand in hand, for there was none of "those things" to enliven conditions.

The last game was called after Dallas had batted in the seventh, "to allow Dallas to catch a train." Umpire Howell announced. Manager Cavender saw which way the wind was blowing and did not see any chance of winning. Anyway, board is cheaper in Dallas than at Waco and he bunched his players up and took them home.

Miller is "Hit." Miller, in the box for Waco in the first game, was touched for eight hits, five being for two bases and one for three. They were scattered, aside from the sixth and seventh, when three runs resulted. The first score was made in the second. Green, pitching the first game for Dallas, was touched for only six hits and they covered a range of six innings.

A feature play in the second game was a double—Wohlleben to Beck to Wohlleben—the summary reads. It occurred in the sixth inning. Forsythe, who had hit to right field for a single and reached first, started at the crack of the bat when Wilson, next up, hit the ball to Wohlleben. Wohlleben fielded the ground ball, threw to second and caught Forsythe, and Beck, who covered second, returned the ball to first, where Wilson was batted.

Error Attains First Score. In the first game—Dallas scored first in the second. Tullios hitting to center for three bases and scoring on Beck's improper fielding of Gibson's drive. Enk's double and Forsythe's single scored Enk in the sixth and in the seventh, Gibson and Duncan scored. Gibson, first up, hit to right field for two bases and scored on Duncan's hit to center for two. Duncan came in on Enk's single. The latter was caught trying to steal second.

Waco exhibited some symptoms of scoring in the fifth but the diagnosis was wrong. Reilly, first up, was hit with a pitched ball. Miller was passed and Akin hit to center. Reilly, however, was caught at third, and Miller at the plate on the ball relayed in from Akin's hit.

Last all Waco's. Waco was in the limelight all the time in the second game, starting strong. After Duguey had gone out, Akin was passed, Beck singled to left. Renard's grounder put him out, and then, Wohlleben clouted the ball over the center field fence, circling the bases with Akin and Beck ahead of him. In the fifth, Duguey, first up, was passed, and stole second and third, and scored with Beck, who was also passed and stole second on Renard's hit.

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hard's triple to right field. In the sixth, Crichlow opened the pot with a two-base hit to left field, advanced to third on Carson's single to right and came home on Lohman's sacrifice fly to right.

All of Dallas' playing was done in the first and second innings. In the first, Duncan, first up, hit to center for two bases, advanced on Enk's sacrifice and scored on Forsythe's grounder, which Duguey failed to field. In the second inning, Tullios opened up with a single to right, and scored on Clemens' single which was turned in the same direction. He didn't loaf any while circling the bases. The scores:

Waco—	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Duguey, 2b	2	0	0	3	1	0
Akin, 3b	4	0	2	1	2	0
Beck, ss	4	0	0	3	1	2
Renard, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Wohlleben, lb	4	0	1	0	1	0
McLaurin, cf	4	0	3	2	0	0
Stewart, c	4	0	0	2	0	0
Reilly, p	2	0	0	5	3	0
Miller, p	2	0	0	1	5	0
Crichlow	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals ..... 31 0 6 27 13 2  
\*Crichlow batted for Reilly in 9th inning.

Dallas—  
Duncan, rf ..... 3 1 1 5 0 0  
Enk, 2b ..... 4 1 2 1 1 0  
Kellerman, ss ..... 3 0 0 0 3 1  
Forsythe, lb ..... 4 0 1 5 1 0  
Wilson, cf ..... 4 0 2 1 0 0  
Tullios, 3b ..... 4 1 1 3 1 0  
Gibson, c ..... 3 1 1 6 1 0  
Clemens, cf ..... 2 0 0 6 1 0  
Green, p ..... 4 0 0 0 0 0

Totals ..... 31 4 8 27 8 1

Score by innings—000 000 000—0

Summary—Two-base hits—Wilson 2, Enk, Gibson, Duncan. Three-base hit—Tullios. Sacrifice hits—Clemens 2, Stolen bases—Akin, Kellerman. Bases on balls—off Miller 3, off Green 2. Batted hit—Green 1. Struck out—by Miller 3, by Green 4. First on errors—Waco 1, Dallas 1. Left on bases—Waco 8, Dallas 5. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire, Howell.

Second game—  
Waco—  
Duguey, 2b ..... 3 1 0 2 1 1  
Akin, 3b ..... 3 1 2 1 2 0  
Beck, ss ..... 1 2 1 2 2 0  
Renard, rf ..... 3 0 1 1 0 0  
Wohlleben, lb ..... 3 1 1 7 1 0  
McLaurin, cf ..... 3 0 0 4 0 0  
Crichlow, c ..... 2 1 1 1 0 0  
Carson, c ..... 2 0 2 3 0 0  
Lohman, p ..... 2 0 0 0 2 0

Totals ..... 22 6 8 21 8 1

Dallas—  
Duncan, rf ..... 2 1 1 1 1 0  
Enk, 2b ..... 1 0 0 3 7 0  
Kellerman, ss ..... 3 0 0 0 1 0  
Forsythe, lb ..... 3 0 1 10 0 0  
Wilson, cf ..... 2 0 0 1 0 0  
Tullios, 3b ..... 3 1 1 1 0 0  
Herman, c ..... 2 0 0 1 1 0  
Clemens, cf ..... 3 0 1 0 0 0  
Evans, p ..... 3 0 0 1 2 0

Totals ..... 23 2 4 18 13 0

Score by innings—000 021 x—6

Summary—Two-base hits—Crichlow, Duncan. Three-base hit—Renard. Home run—Wohlleben. Sacrifice hits—Beck, Carson, Enk, Herman. Sacrifice fly—Lohman. Stolen bases—Duguey 2, Akin, Beck, Crichlow. Double play—Wohlleben to Beck to Wohlleben. Bases on balls—off Lohman 2, off Evans 4. Struck out—by Lohman 2, by Evans 1. First on error—Dallas 1. Left on bases—Waco 6, Dallas 4. Time of game—1:10. Umpire—Howell.

Called in 7th inning to allow Dallas to catch train.

Austin 5, Fort Worth 1.

(By The Associated Press.)

Austin, Tex., Aug. 16.—Naples opened weak today and the Senators sat down the game with four runs in the first inning. Bradley held his opponents easily and the game was a very sloppy affair.

Score—  
R.H.E.  
Austin ..... 410 000 000—5 8 1

Fort Worth ..... 000 001 000—1 6 3

Batteries—Bradley and Babo; Maple and Kitchens.

A POOR JEST.

Hatcher—Isn't Jones' wife thin and skinny?

Scratcher—Yes, she's the one family skeleton he can't keep in the closet.

## GIANTS EVEN UP WITH CUBS

GAME ENDS WITH 7 TO 4 SCORE. CHICAGO PITCHERS WILD AND EASY.

## FOUR MEN USED IN GAME

Tesreau Gets Brilliant Support From Teammates—Evers Back in Game Today.

(By The Associated Press.)

Chicago, Aug. 16.—With Tesreau pitching in fine form, New York defeated Chicago, 7 to 4, today and evened up the series. The big right-handed pitcher held Chicago to three hits until the ninth inning, while New York drove two pitchers out of the box early in the game. Chance used four pitchers—Lavender, Reulbach, Cheney and Toney—in an effort to turn the tide. New York forced "Jimmy" Lavender, who started the game for Chicago, to retire before he had pitched two innings. Then Reulbach was sent in, but gave way to Cheney in the seventh, after New York had made four runs off him. New York got a run off Cheney in the eighth, and he was relieved by Toney in the ninth. Tesreau was given brilliant support.

Murray made two sensational catches, running back into the crowd and pulling down a drive that otherwise would have been good for two bases.

Johnnie Evers, whom President Lynch of the National league suspended for five days for umpire baiting at the recent Boston series, will return to the game tomorrow.

The Cubs scored two runs in their half of the fifth. An error by Becker, who muffed Leach's fly, permitted Schekard to trot home from third. Zimmerman, who had singled to left, made third on the play, and scored a moment later on a passed ball. Schekard, who was first to bat, walked for the third time in the game.

In an effort to strengthen the Cubs' defense, Cheney was sent in to relieve Reulbach in the seventh, and Downey took Downey's place at second. The scores:

Chicago—	AB.	R.	H.	O.	A.	E.
Schekard, lf	2	2	1	1	0	0
Schultz, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Tinker, ss	5	0	1	5	1	0
Zimmerman, 3b	5	1	2	3	0	0
Leach, cf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Saier, lb	3	1	0	11	0	0
Downs, 2b	2	0	0	0	1	0
Downey, 2b	1	0	0	1	3	0
Archer, c	4	0	1	2	3	0
Cotter, c	0	0	0	0	0	0
Lavender, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Reulbach, p	2	0	0	1	2	0
Cheney, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Toney, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Miller	0	0	0	0	0	0
*Good	1	0	0	0	0	0
**Williams	1	0	0	0	0	0

Totals ..... 34 4 5 27 14 0

New York—  
Snodgrass, lf ..... 5 1 2 0 0 0  
Doyle, 2b ..... 3 1 1 2 1 0  
Becker, cf ..... 4 1 0 2 1 0  
Murray, rf ..... 1 1 0 6 0 0  
Merkle, lb ..... 5 1 2 4 0 0  
Herzog, 3b ..... 4 1 2 1 2 0  
Meyers, c ..... 5 0 3 8 0 3  
Fletcher, ss ..... 3 1 1 4 1 0  
Tesreau, p ..... 3 0 0 0 0 0

Totals ..... 33 7 11 27 4 2

\*Batted for Downs in sixth.

\*\*Batted for Reulbach in sixth.

\*\*\*Batted for Cheney in eighth.

By Innings—  
Chicago ..... 010 020 001—4

New York ..... 202 020 010—7

Summary—Two-base hits—Merkle, Doyle, Schekard. Hits off Lavender 4 in 1 inning, none out in second; off Reulbach 6 in 5, off Cheney 1 in 2, off Toney none in 1. Sacrifice hit, Tesreau. Sacrifice fly, Murray. Stolen bases, Doyle, Merkle, Murray 3, Herzog, Becker. Left on bases, Chicago

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# IN OUR ANNEX TODAY

Read Every Line Below, Then Come to the Feast Which Goldstein-Migel Offer You Today. Don't Miss It

All Men's \$25.00, \$22.50 and \$27.50 Suits for \$15

Greatest Clothing opportunity of the season. And the word "entire" means all our stock—every single Suit. This means you buy such makes as Benjamin, L. System and Michaels-Stern Suits, made of the best cloth a tailor ever stuck a needle into—Suits backed by the makers and guaranteed by us; all featherweight materials, good for now and early fall wear. \$15.00 takes your pick of Suits whose regular prices range to \$27.50.

## Clear Out Silk and Pongee Suits

Today we will clean up the balance of our Men's Silk and Pongee Suits; handsomely tailored and finished; only about twelve or fifteen left, so come early to get a Suit at these prices. Note the savings—

\$15.00 SILK SUITS FOR \$9.50 | \$20.00 SILK SUITS FOR \$12.50

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High-grade Four-in-Hands, in knit and silk patterns—broken lines, and many are the very choicest weaves of the season.  
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Here's a Shirt offer, men, different from anything we've offered before. Twenty-five dozen Soft Shirts with detachable collars and French cuffs; a choice range of neat stripe effects; sizes are broken; regular \$2.00. \$1.00. \$2 Shirts otherwise; at half price.

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One hundred pairs of Men's Fine Trousers to sell today. Our entire line—every pair of \$6, \$6.50 and \$7.50 Pants in the house; made of the finest all-wool worsteds and cassimeres, in striped patterns. Take your pick of them all today for only \$4.45.

## Thousand Pair Men's 50c Silk Sox Sell at 25c Pair

We confidently expect to sell every pair of them, too. A big lot of them, true, but when you consider that you buy Pure Silk Hose for half price—not a man in town who is not willing to give up 25c for a pair of Silk Sox. Black, tans, gray and blue. Thin weave, reinforced heels and toes. Just simply a big leader for today only. Pair 25c.

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Cassimeres, Worsteds and Woolen Crash Materials, for boys up to 17 years of age. Tailored with all the care that a Man's Suit receives. Made so strong, wear so well, that a boy can't hurt the Suits unless he harms himself. Knickerbocker style—just the kind the boy likes. It's economy to buy the School Suit in this department. We offer

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## BOYS WASH SUITS HALF PRICE

ROMPERS 39c  
Made of the best materials for little fellows, 2 to 6 years of age, made from good, washable materials, and regular 50c value, special 39c

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Odd lots and ends of Boys' Pongee, Balbriggan and Nainsook Underwear, regular 25c garments, to sell out now for quick clearance..... 15c

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Boys' Wash Pants, in good colors and materials; sizes 3 to 16 years; regular 35c Pants, to close out now at only ..... 19c

Dandy little Suits of Linen, Rep, Madras, Poplin, Galatea and Gingham materials. Shown in all the wanted colors for immediate wear. Russian and Sailor Blouse styles. Just as good as when we asked the regular prices for them. Now—

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IN OUR ANNEX

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What's the Use of Being a Detective if Everybody Knows It

By "Bud" Fisher

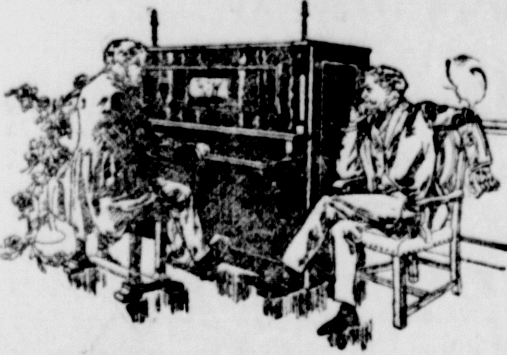




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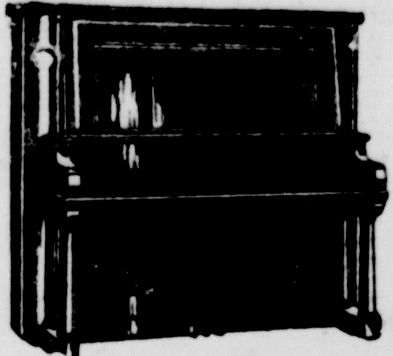
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DEAD MEMBER OF OKLAHOMA'S "THREE GUARDSMEN" ASKED NO FLOWERS BE SENT.

Special to The Morning News.

Guthrie, Okla., Aug. 16.—Heck Thomas is dead at Lawton and yesterday a letter from him to Chris Madsen bore the farewell message of one of Oklahoma's "Three Guardsmen," which designation has been given frequently to Thomas, Madsen and "Bill" Thigman—a trio of early-day deputy marshals and hard men hunters.

"Don't you and Bill come over, and don't send any flowers," wrote the dying Thomas. The letter came in Thomas' name, but evidently it was written by his wife, for the old warrior had been too sick for many weeks to write.

Fought Famous Bandits.

Many have been the battles against

outlaws in which the "Three Guardsmen" participated. They fought the Doolins and the Daltons, the Bert Casey gang and all the others which have terrorized the Southwest in the last 25 years. After Madsen captured Bill Doolin and brought him to Guthrie, it was Thomas who took the trail when Doolin broke out of jail and again captured him.

Thomas heard that Doolin might be hiding in a certain place and he went there. He concealed himself in a fence corner near the house. Early in the morning Doolin came out. He went to a corral from which he took a horse, which he had stolen in escaping, and led it down the lane approaching Thomas.

When Doolin came within hailing distance Thomas commanded: "Throw up your hands." Doolin was carrying his revolver in his hand and as he obeyed the order and raised his hand he fired. By some miracle he missed, and Thomas fired at him with a shotgun loaded with buckshot. The lead struck him and Doolin died shortly afterward.

Thomas was a relentless pursuer of the Dalton gang and was so constantly on their trail toward the end of their career that they were desperate for lack of funds. It was that, it is said, which caused them to make the daring raid on Coffeyville, Kans., in which all except one of them were killed.

Heck Thomas was born in Athens, Ga. He became a courier when 13 years old, on the staff of his uncle, General Edward L. Thomas, of the Confederate army. His first employment after the close of the war was as messenger for the old Texas Express

company, successor to the Southern Express company.

Tricked Robbers Out of \$20,000.

It was while in this service that the train on which Thomas was a messenger was held up by the Sam Bass gang of outlaws. A consignment of \$20,000 was in the express car. Thomas took the money from the deposit box and hid it in the ashes of the car stove. In the box he placed a dummy package of paper along with a sack of silver coins, perhaps \$50.

When the outlaws entered the train Sam Bass demanded of Thomas that he open the money box. Thomas tossed the outlaw the key, but was forced to pick up the key, open the box and then throw the money in the outlaw's sack. As the \$50 in silver singled into the sack Bass never suspected that he was getting dummy greenbacks.

As a result of the fight with the outlaws Thomas had one cheek bone shattered with a bullet and another went through his neck. After the outlaws departed with the dummy package, Thomas hastened to the engineer and told him to hasten out of that vicinity. For his bravery he was rewarded.

## GIANTS EVEN UP

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St. Louis 7, Boston 5.

By The Associated Press.  
St. Louis, Aug. 16.—St. Louis won from Boston this afternoon, 7 to 5, through the wildness of Brown.weeney protested a decision in the ninth and was ordered off the grounds.

Score— R. H. E.  
Boston ..... 000 110 003—5 13 3  
St. Louis ..... 049 102 008—7 6 1  
Brown and Rariden; Harmon, Saltee and Wingo.

Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 3.  
By The Associated Press.  
Pittsburgh, Aug. 16.—Magee's home run in the third, with two on bases, won today's game for Philadelphia. Wilson made a desperate effort to get the low fly, which darted through the fence. Playing was fast on both sides, but the locals failed to land hits sufficiently at critical stages.

Score— R. H. E.  
Pittsburgh ..... 000 020 100—3 7 1  
Philadelphia ..... 013 001 000—5 7 2  
Hendrix, Warner, Robinson and Kelley; Alexander and Dooin.

Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 3.  
By The Associated Press.  
Cincinnati, Aug. 16.—Cincinnati defeated Brooklyn today by a score of 4 to 3. Rucker was wild and allowed Cincinnati to score three runs in the second and third innings. He was reliever in the fourth by Yingling, who pitched good ball. Fromme was at his best in the pinches.

Score— R. H. E.  
Brooklyn ..... 100 010 001—3 9 4  
Cincinnati ..... 012 009 018—4 6 1  
Rucker, Yingling and Miller; Fromme and McLean.

TWO AUTOMOBILES WANTED FOR CITY DEPARTMENTS  
Notice is hereby given that bids are wanted by the City of Waco for two automobiles for immediate delivery. One of the cars is for the fire chief, the other for the engineer's department. Call on Commissioner Wright and city engineer for information relative to character of cars wanted. Bids will be opened at 10 a. m. Tuesday, Aug. 20, 1912. File bids with city secretary.

THOS. A. CAUFIELD,  
Finance Commissioner.

News Want Ads bring results.

## American League

Washington 4, Chicago 0.

By The Associated Press.  
Washington, Aug. 16.—Walter Johnson held Chicago to one scratch hit today and Washington won easily, 4 to 0. This made 14 straight wins for Johnson, equalling the American league record held by Chesbro while pitching for New York.

Score— R. H. E.  
Chicago ..... 000 000 000—0 1 3  
Washington ..... 201 001 004—4 7 2  
Benz and Schalk; Johnson and Almsmith.

St. Louis 3, Boston 2.

By The Associated Press.

Boston, Aug. 16.—St. Louis, the tall enders, won from Boston, the league leaders today, 3 to 2. Hamilton held Boston to 6 hits, well scattered, while the St. Louis team bunched their hits, most of them for extra bases, off O'Brien.

Score— R. H. E.  
Boston ..... 010 000 100—2 6 1  
St. Louis ..... 000 021 000—3 6 1  
O'Brien, Wood and Carrigan; Hamilton and Krichell.

New York 9, Detroit 8.

By The Associated Press.

New York, Aug. 16.—New York made it four out of five from Detroit today, winning a see-saw game in the ninth inning by a score of 9 to 8. New York scored the winning run in the last frame on Zinn's double. Simm's infield out and a passed ball by Koehler.

Score— R. H. E.  
Detroit ..... 400 000 210—8 8 3  
New York ..... 304 010 001—9 11 3  
Works, Lake and Koehler; Davis, Warhop and Sweeney.

Philadelphia 3, Cleveland 1.

By The Associated Press.

Philadelphia, Aug. 16.—Philadelphia won today's game from Cleveland, 3 to 1. The home team scored all its runs after two were out in the eighth inning on a pass to Bender and singles by Barry, Oldring, Collins and E. Baker.

Score— R. H. E.  
Cleveland ..... 000 001 000—1 5 0  
Philadelphia ..... 000 009 053—3 7 2  
Gregg and O'Neill; Houck, Bender and Lapp; Thomas.

At New Orleans— R. H. E.

Chattanooga ..... 100 000 001—2 4 2  
New Orleans ..... 000 001 035—4 5 1  
Allen and Hannah; Dygert and Agnew.

At Montgomery— R. H. E.

Memphis ..... 000 000 000—0 2 1  
Montgomery ..... 000 031 007—4 5 0  
Newton and Seabough; Johns and McAllister.

At Mobile— R. H. E.

Mobile ..... 000 000 020—2 5 2  
Atlanta ..... 020 020 002—7 10 4  
Campbell and Dunn; Hilton and Reynolds.

## American Ass'n

Minneapolis 4, Columbus 3.  
Milwaukee 3, Indianapolis 1.  
St. Paul 1, Toledo 4.  
Kansas City 4, Louisville 2.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.

Sealed proposals will be received until 5 a. m. Tuesday, Aug. 27th, 1912, for the erection and completion of Herring Avenue Fire Station; also for alterations and additions to five other stations for the City of Waco. Plans and specifications are now on file at the office of T. Brooks Pearson, architect, 1509 Amicable building, Waco, Texas. Certified check to amount of 5 per cent of bid must accompany bid. The right is reserved to reject any or all proposals.

BIG INCREASE IN ROAD'S CAPITAL STOCK REPORTED

By The Associated Press.

Louisville, Aug. 16.—According to the unverified announcement of a local paper today, the management of the Louisville & Nashville railroad has made definite plans for the increase of the company's outstanding capital stock from \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000. The newspaper says: "It is understood that \$20,000,000 of the additional stock will be offered to the stockholders at par, immediately."

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The Katy Flyer  
Leaves Waco 4:46 a. m.  
For reservation see or phone W. A. MORROW, C. P. & T. A. 500 Austin St.

## Baseball Calendar

TEXAS LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Dallas 4-2, Waco 0-6.  
Austin 5, Fort Worth 1.  
Other games postponed; rain.

Where They Play Today.

Fort Worth at Waco.  
Galveston at San Antonio.  
Houston at Beaumont.  
Dallas at Austin.

Standing of Teams.

Clubs—	Ptd.	W.	L.	Pct.
Houston	122	75	47	.615
San Antonio	124	72	52	.581
Waco	126	72	54	.571
Dallas	122	62	60	.508
Austin	127	58	69	.457
Galveston	121	52	69	.430
Beaumont	124	53	71	.427
Fort Worth	123	52	71	.423

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Philadelphia 5, Pittsburgh 3.  
New York 7, Chicago 4.  
St. Louis 7, Boston 5.  
Cincinnati 4, Brooklyn 3.

Where They Play Today.

Philadelphia at Pittsburgh.  
Brooklyn at Cincinnati.  
New York at Chicago.  
Boston at St. Louis.

Standing of Teams.

Clubs—	Ptd.	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	104	74	30	.712
Chicago	106	69	37	.651
Pittsburgh	106	65	41	.613
St. Louis	107	55	52	.514
Philadelphia	105	51	54	.486
Cincinnati	109	52	57	.477
Brooklyn	109	39	70	.358
Boston	105	28	77	.267

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Yesterday's Results.

Washington 4, Chicago 0.  
Philadelphia 3, Cleveland 1.  
New York 9, Detroit 8.  
St. Louis 3, Boston 2.

Where They Play.

Cleveland at Chicago.  
Washington at Philadelphia.  
St. Louis at New York.  
Detroit at Boston.

Standing of Teams.

Clubs—	Ptd.	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	111	76	35	.685
Philadelphia	110	67	43	.609
Washington	111	68	44	.607
Chicago	110	54	55	.495
Detroit	114	55	59	.482
Cleveland	111	51	60	.459
St. Louis	109	36	73	.336
New York	108	35	73	.327

WOMAN DRIVEN TO CRIME BY JEALOUSY MAKES BOND

By The Associated Press.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Aug. 16.—Mrs. Sarah Echols, who shot and killed Mrs. Georgia Smith, a widow, here, was bound over to the criminal court in the sum of \$2000, which was executed. The shooting was due to jealousy on the part of Mrs. Echols because of her husband's attentions to Mrs. Smith.

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I WANT modern five-room home from \$1000 to \$5000, west part city. Box 912, Waco. 8-18

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FOR TRADE—A fine section of land near Brownfield, Terry county (top of the plains), where they have plenty of good water, and a country that is becoming developed very fast with a good class of people. Will consider in exchange Waco residence property, lots or acreage. Room 17, Provident building. New phone 659. 8-18

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WANTED—To sell you some of our mixed round and split bottom wood. Price, \$4.00 per cord. We also handle the best grade of Post Oak wood, McAlister, Spada and Pennsylvania coal. Phone 87 for prices. Simmons Feed & Fuel Co. 18

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FOR PROMPT delivery of baggage and express, ring or see R. L. Jackson, at Cass' fruit stand, Sixth and Austin, new phone 882. 9-13

STAR MESSENGER SERVICE does first-class delivery to any part of city, day or night. Coy Co. Vandiver, manager. New phone 1234. 21

FOR first-class horseshoeing and buggy-repairing, see Mr. Layne, across from Roten Grocery Co. Every courtesy is extended to patrons. L. E. Layne, 317 South 5th street. 9-19

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WHITE woman to assist semi-invalid and do light housework. \$4.00 per week and board. Old phone 2196. 8-13

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Cleaning and Pressing.

CLEANING AND PRESSING—Do not take chances with your perfectly good garments—but send them to a first-class establishment. You'll appreciate the service rendered by The Hammond-Vawter Co. Try us. New phone 1950. 8-23

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R. E. D. ELECTRIC CO. wants your work. Satisfaction guaranteed. New phone 932. 720 Franklin St. 18

### DUN'S REVIEW.

By The Associated Press.  
New York, Aug. 16.—R. G. Run's weekly review of trade tomorrow will say:

The industrial and trade situation fully maintains its recent improvement and a further advance in activity is noted in the reports from the leading centers. Everything points to a continuance of the present activity in iron and steel. Future business is not readily accepted unless higher prices are offered. Basic iron is strong at \$14.50 and \$14.75 valley. Crude steel is becoming scarcer and merchant iron furnaces have practically contracted all of the output for the third quarter. Bessemer billets are firm at \$23.50 Pittsburgh, and open hearted at \$23.50 Pittsburgh. Demand for merchant steel bars, plates and shapes continues to tax capacity, while tin plate and sheets are very active with prospect of an advance on quotations.

Well maintained activity is still the leading feature in dry goods. Some hesitation was caused in the cotton goods division by the substantial declines in raw cotton, but the only effect noted was a slight softening in print cloths.

A few sales were reported for China shipment, but export trade as a whole is slow.

Cotton yarns are quiet and practically unchanged, but worsted yarns are in good demand.

Demand for footwear shows further improvement. All kinds of leather continue in good demand without any very large transactions, tanners still refusing to contract ahead in any considerable quantity at present quotations. Trading in upper leathers is steady, but no special activity is shown. Business is in steady volume and would be still more active, were supplies not so closely cleaned up.

### POULTRY AND PRODUCE.

By The Associated Press.  
St. Louis, Aug. 16.—Poultry firm; chickens 12c, springers 14c, turkeys 16c, ducks 10c, geese 5c to 10c. Butter quiet, creamery 23c to 24c. Eggs, 18c.

KANSAS CITY—Butter, creamery 24c, firsts 22c, seconds 20c, extras 20c, firsts 19c, seconds 18c.

CINCINNATI—Eggs easy, prime firsts 22c, firsts 21c, seconds 14c. Poultry steady; springers 15c to 16c, hens 12c to 14c, turkeys 14c.

NEW YORK—Eggs steady, unchanged, receipts 14,273.

### COTTON SEED PRODUCTS.

New York, Aug. 16.—Cotton seed oil was firm early on the hard strength but prices eased off late in the session under withdrawal of bull support and with the decline in cotton. Closing prices were unchanged to 2 points lower.

MEMPHIS—Cotton seed products, prime basis: Oil \$5.34 to \$5.47; meal \$26.50 to \$27.00, hinders 3c to 4c.

# News Market Page

—BY THE NEWS LEASED WIRE OF THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—

## COTTON—GRAIN—STOCKS—LIVE STOCK

### HEAVY SELLING SENDS COTTON ON A DECLINE

THURSDAY'S BIGGEST BUYERS REDUCE LINES—LIVERPOOL CABLES ARE WEAK.

By The Associated Press.

New York, Aug. 16.—There was a renewal of heavy general selling after some early irregularity in the cotton market today, and prices lost a large part of their recent gain, with the close weak at a net decline of from 30 to 34 points.

The market opened steady at a decline of 6 to 14 points in sympathy with weak Liverpool cables. There was good buying at the initial figures, owing to a private crop report, indicating that the condition had deteriorated a little over 2 per cent since the end of July and prices rallied some 8 or 10 points from the lowest during the first few minutes. The failure of the early weather map to show any precipitation in the extreme southwest may also have contributed to the confidence of buyers, but after a rally to about 11.51 for December, the market weakened under heavy selling by spot houses and indications of a rapidly increasing new crop movement in Texas. A break of about 20 points from the best attracted a renewal of support from some of yesterday's big buyers, on which prices again steadied up, but after a recovery of 10 or 12 points the market ran into more aggressive and more general selling, which evidently emanated from private reports of rains or showers in previously dry sections of South Texas.

Offerings were very heavy in the late trading when it was rumored that some of yesterday's biggest buyers were reducing their lines and the market closed at the lowest point of the day. Most of the private cables received attributed the weakness of Liverpool to liquidation of buyers for a reaction or continental selling, but one report was received via New Orleans, which claims that Liverpool had been flooded by offerings of new crop shipments from the southwest and this probably attracted more attention for the reason that new crop advances from Houston said that the showers reported in South Texas would delay the movement, but would add to the volume of the crop. The private crop report issued at the opening made the condition 7.67 against 7.93 two weeks ago.

### Range of Futures.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
February	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
March	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
May	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
July	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
August	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
September	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
October	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
November	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27
December	11.46	11.57	11.27	11.27

Cotton spots closed quiet, middling uplands 11.90, middling gulf 12.15, sales 400 bales.

### NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

By The Associated Press.  
New Orleans, Aug. 16.—Cotton futures opened steady at a decline of 15 to 19 points. Cables were not nearly as high as due and short selling was stimulated by this and by continued dry weather in the eastern and central portions of the cotton region, where it is claimed the crop is showing marked improvement. At the end of the first half hour prices were 25 to 27 points down. Reports of showers at several points in South Texas held the market down around the middle of the morning but shorts showed a fondness of profits and their purchases served to make the tone steady and, in the end, to check the decline. At noon the trading months were 23 to 24 points down.

In the afternoon the market displayed marked weakness under what was said to be liquidation of a large line of long cotton. At 2 o'clock prices were 37 to 38 points under yesterday's final quotations.

Cotton futures closed easy at a net decline of 38 to 41 points.

Open. High. Low. Close.  
Jan. 11.46 11.57 11.27 11.27  
Mar. 11.46 11.57 11.27 11.27  
May 11.46 11.57 11.27 11.27  
Aug. 11.46 11.57 11.27 11.27  
Oct. 11.46 11.57 11.27 11.27  
Dec. 11.46 11.57 11.27 11.27

### Spots.

Spot cotton easy, unchanged, middling 11 3-16. Sale on spot 90 bales, to arrive 27; low ordinary 8 3-16; ordinary 9 1-16; good ordinary 10 1-16; strict good ordinary 10 7-16; strict low middling 11 3-16; middling 11 13-16; strict

### GRAINS MAINTAIN A STEADY UPWARD TURN

UNSETTLED WEATHER AND CONTINUANCE OF CASH DEMAND IMPROVE SITUATION.

By The Associated Press.

Chicago, Aug. 16.—Unsettled weather and a continuance of cash demand helped to run all grain values up today. At times shorts induced rapid advances. The close was strong in all lines with wheat from 3/4 to 3/8 up. Corn finished 3/4c higher and oats showed 3/4 to 3/8 gains, while provisions were 5 to 12 1/2c higher.

Expectations of lighter arrivals based on rainy weather forecasts for practically the entire producing area was a large factor in advancing wheat prices. Lower cables had little deterrent effect. The upturn caused local shorts to hurry to cover, giving sharp gains toward the close of the day. May made a net gain of 3/4c, touching 97 1/2c and closing at 97 1/2c. December traveled between 92 3/4c and 93 3/4c, final figures being 3/4c higher at 93 3/4c.

Spot corn felt the upturn induced by showers over the northern portion of the corn belt more than the distant deliveries, though the market was strong all through the list. Commission selling held prices within moderate limits and offerings of old crop increased.

Cash product was higher with a fair demand. The close was near the top, September making a net gain of 1 cent, finishing at 70 3/4c, after touching 70 1/2c, the low being 69 3/4c. No yellow was quoted at 73 1/2c to 74c.

Oats followed the major grains within narrower limits. The close was slightly below top prices. December moved between 33 1/2c and 33 3/4c, closing 3/4c higher at 33 3/4c.

Increased demand for the January products was a salient provision feature. First month pork finished 12 1/2c higher. Final prices for October products were uniformly 7 1/2c higher with pork 18 3/4c; lard 11 1/2c, and ribs 11.00.

The close follows:  
Wheat—Sept. 94 1/2c, Dec. 93 3/4c, May 97 1/2c.  
Corn—Sept. 70 3/4c, Dec. 54 1/2c to 55c, May 54 1/2c to 55c.  
Oats—Sept. 32 1/2c to 33c, December 33 1/2c, May 35 1/2c.  
Pork—Sept. 18 3/4c, October 18 3/4c, Jan. 19 1/2c, Oct. 11 1/2c, Jan. 10 3/4c, Dec. 10 3/4c.  
Ribs—Sept. 11 1/2c, Oct. 11 1/2c, Jan. 10 1/2c.

### Chicago Cash Grain.

No. 2 red \$1.04 to \$1.06, No. 2 hard 95c to 96c, No. 1 northern \$1.00 to \$1.06, No. 2 northern 97c to \$1.04, No. 2 spring 94 1/2c to \$1.00, velvet chaff 92 to 97c, durum 94 to 96c.

Corn, No. 2 77 1/2c to 78c, No. 2 white 78 1/2c to 79c, No. 2 yellow 78 1/2c to 79c, Oats No. 2 white 33 1/2c to 34c, standard 33 1/2c to 34c.

middling 12 1-16c; good middling 12 5-16c; strict good middling 12 1/2c; middling fair 12 13-16c; good fair 13 3-16c; fair 13 9-16c. Receipts 664; stock 21,498.

### LIVERPOOL FUTURES.

By The Associated Press.  
Liverpool, Aug. 16.—Futures opened and closed quiet and steady. Aug. 6.50 1/2d, Aug-Sept. 6.44d, Sept-Oct. 6.29d, Oct-Nov. 6.23 1/2d, Nov-Dec. 6.19d, Dec-Jan. 6.18 1/2d, Jan-Feb. 6.19 1/2d, Feb-Mar. 6.20 1/2d, March-April 6.22d, April-May 6.23d, May-June 6.24d, June-July 6.23 1/2d, July-Aug. 6.25d.

### COTTON SPOT MARKETS.

By The Associated Press.  
Galveston, Aug. 16.—Spot cotton closed steady, unchanged. Low ordinary 9 13-16c; ordinary 8 13-16c; good ordinary 9 11-16c; low middling 11 5-16c; middling 12 3-16c; good middling 12 5-16c; middling fair 12 7-8c. Sales spot 100, f. o. b. 233; receipts 427; stock 22,292.

HOUSTON—Spot cotton closed steady 1/4c down. Low ordinary 7 7-16c; ordinary 8 7-16c; good ordinary 9 7-16c; low middling 11 3-16c; middling 12 3-16c; good middling 12 7-16c; middling fair 12 11-16c. Sales spot 45; f. o. b. 266; shipments 9620; stock 21,020.

LIVERPOOL—Cotton spots closed quiet, prices 8 points lower. American middling, fair 7.52d, good middling 7.12d, middling 6.72d, low middling 6.48d, good ordinary 6.00d, ordinary 5.52d.

Sales of the day 6000 bales, of which 500 were for speculation and export and included 5600 American. Receipts 3000 bales, including 400 American.

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### STOCKS FEEL EFFECT PANAMA BILL WRANGLE

SPECULATIVE FAVORITES UNDER HEAVY PRESSURE—STEEL HAS SLIGHT RALLY.

By The Associated Press.

New York, Aug. 16.—Further modification of recent bullishness was suggested by the trend of stocks today. The speculative favorites were under pressure most of the session, particularly the railway issues, which have shown a considerable degree of heaviness in connection with the agitation accompanying the Panama Canal bill at Washington.

Coppers and equipment stocks figured more than proportionately in the day's moderate dealings which were marked by frequent pauses. China was the feature of the metal shares, and other specialties were active and strong, including pullman car, which made its best price in several years. American Tobacco was conspicuously weak, while some of its former allies were up 1 to 2 points.

Steel barely preserved an even balance until the final hour when, after selling at the lowest quotations of the day rallied to a level which left a majority of net gains. The late recovery was generally ascribed to Washington dispatches stating that the senate had refused to pass the steel tariff bill over the president's veto.

European financial conditions were without direct bearing upon the market. London, where money was easier, traded lightly here, with a small balance of sales. The Bank of France reduced its discounts and advanced, meanwhile making a nominal gain in gold. Paris prices were firm with irregularity in Berlin.

Bonds were lower with total sales par value of \$1,812,000. United States government bonds were unchanged as call.



## DEAL CLOSED WITH INDIANS

DESCENDANTS OF EARLY INHABITANTS OF WACO COME FOR COTTON PALACE.

## GAVE ROSS A BIG FEAST

Cotton Palace Director Tells of His Welcome—Arranges to Bring 650-Pound Man.

A band of fifty full-blooded Huaco Indians, in paint and feathers, will journey to new and commercial Waco in November to have a look at the old stamping grounds of their fathers. Direct descendants of the redskins who until 1845 had their village on west hill, these Indians jumped at the opportunity presented by the Cotton Palace directors, and will be the main curiosities at the big exposition in Waco in November. They look exactly like the people who once inhabited Waco and speak the same language; however, they are now farmers instead of game killers and scalp hunters and are slightly educated.

**Indians Give Him War Dance.**  
R. S. Ross, departmental director of the Cotton Palace, has just returned from Anadarko, Oklahoma, the home of the Huacos, where he made arrangements for the visit of the Indians to this city. The Indians knew he was coming and knew that he was from the old hunting grounds of their fathers, so they welcomed him and entertained him royally. They held a big feast in his honor, smoked the pipe of peace and gave a big war dance. They had on their paint and feathers and hatchets and tomahawks and presented all the appearances of the redskins who settled Waco and had it taken away from them by the traders. "We can get all the Indians we want," said Mr. Ross last night. "All that is necessary is to pay their expenses and they will come in droves. I think about fifty are all that we can take care of this year, however. The attraction is sure to prove the leading event of the exposition. The Indians will make things interesting for the visitors."

**Biggest Man in the World.**  
"I have arranged to exhibit the biggest man in the world, a 32-year-old Indian who weighs 650 pounds. His body is about as broad as a bale of cotton is long. He is a whooper, and all he will cost us is his actual expenses. He will probably pick up a little change. We will also have an exhibit of Kiowa head and fancy work. This is a wonderful display, and will include a dress covered with elk teeth that the Indians have refused an offer of \$2500 for. A similar dress was recently exhibited in Arizona, but this one has never been shown before. It is a marvel. The Kiowa exhibit has been shown at Omaha and took the first prize."

The Cotton Palace's War Path will be a reality this year. The Indians will give their war dances and go through other curious performances which Central Texans haven't seen since 1845, when the Huacos and the other tribes were pushed further west. The Huacos had their main village located west of Sixth street and extending to the hill.

## YOUTHFUL BURGLARS TAKEN IN CUSTODY

SMALL BOYS CONFESS TO ROB-BING SCHOOL, GRAIN HOUSE AND HARNESS STORE.

Two small boys, one of them a namesake and grandson of a former Texas governor, have been arrested by Officer Alvin Tiley on charges of burglarizing several establishments recently. The boys confessed, and conducted the officer to the place where they had hidden stolen goods. Among the recovered property is a large flag, which was stolen by the boys from the Central high school.

The boys entered the offices of the Seely-Early Company on two different occasions. The first time they stole \$4 worth of stamps and on the second trip they took a gold watch, and tried to break into the iron safe. At the high school the youngsters raised a window and effected an entrance. They took an ice coupon book and the flag.

They filled their pockets full of knives from the Hirlinger harness store.

**FINISHING TOUCHES TO COTTON PALACE RATES**  
Jack F. Lehane, General Freight and Passenger Agent of Cotton Belt, Visits Waco.

Jack F. Lehane, general freight and passenger agent of the Cotton Belt, was in Waco Friday on his way to Fort Worth from Corpus Christi, where he spent a few days fishing. He took a northbound Katy out of Waco last night.

"All rates for the Cotton Palace have been made," said Mr. Lehane. The Cotton Belt and the other roads entering Waco agreed upon the scale of rates some weeks ago, but the finishing touches on the schedule from all parts of the state were added at a meeting in Dallas yesterday. The rates are just the same as last year, and let me tell you that is about as low as railroads ever make them these days."

A News Want Ad may bring the opportunity you are looking for.

## ANOTHER FAST AUTO PURCHASED FOR CITY

BIDS FOR AUTO PUMPER ARE CONSIDERED BY CITY COMMISSIONERS FRIDAY.

"This is a fast age—we've got to move about fast," said a member of the city commission Friday morning as that body put its final stamp of approval on an order for an automobile for use in the street department. Bids from four firms were opened in the proposed purchase of a combination hose and pump auto engine for the fire department. One bid was received for a fire chief's runabout.

Fire Commissioner Wright has asked for other bids on the runabout, but will announce the purchase of the auto pumper after he has witnessed a demonstration in Dallas August 20. The American-La France Fire Engine company of Elmira, and Webb Motor Fire Apparatus company of St. Louis, will demonstrate the comparative merits of their cars for the benefit of the Waco officials. Other firms bidding for the sale of a machine to Waco are the Robinson Fire Apparatus company of St. Louis, the Nott Fire Engine company of Minneapolis, and the Ahrens Fox Fire Engine company of Cincinnati. Percy Willis, representing the Chalmers-Detroit, submitted the only bid received for the chief's car.

The bids for the auto pumper range from \$7,130 for a four-cylinder Webb car, to \$9,500 for a six-cylinder Ahrens-Fox. The commissioners figure on spending about \$1,250 for the street commissioner's car. Mayor Mackey suggested this purchase, and the others readily adopted the idea.

Several requests for small buildings in the fire district were received. Some of them were granted, others were refused and two were referred to Fire Commissioner Wright.

The Incandescent Light & Supply company was given permission to erect an arc gas light in front of its office at 118 South Sixth street. This light will be suspended on an ornamental pole.

The commission refused to make further concessions to the Katy in the matter of complying with the recent street lighting ordinance. Attorney W. E. Spill and Superintendent James asked that the Katy be permitted to eliminate the arc light at the Seventh street crossing. The request was denied. The railroad's argument was that Seventh street did not receive sufficient traffic to warrant the expense of an arc light at the crossing.

T. Brooks Pearson, the architect whose plans for fire station No. 7 were recently accepted, was authorized to draw up final specifications and advertise for bids for the construction. The bids will be opened by the commission August 27.

## WARFARE IS LAUNCHED ON THE UNDESIRABLES

City and County Officers Will Unite in Crusade—Several Arrests Already Made.

Both city and county officers Friday began a war on certain alleged "undesirables" who have recently located in south-end neighborhoods and who have been responsible for many complaints. Officer Frazer arrested the women in a house at 1221 South First street and preferred charges of vagrancy against them. They will be given a hearing this morning, and will then be turned over to the county officers to answer charges of disturbing the peace.

Other arrests are to follow, it is said. The city and county officers will unite in the crusade to uphold the peace and general welfare of these southside communities, they say.

## Local News Notes

R. G. Buford, traveling passenger agent of the Katy, was here from Dallas Friday.

F. S. James, general superintendent of the Texas Central and division superintendent of the M. K. & T. has returned to Waco from Fort Worth and Dallas, having made an inspection tour. Mr. James finds that business is showing improvement, and expects the fall heavy traffic season to open up October 1.

Clifford Hastings of Washington, D. C., is in the city, the guest of H. M. Minier.

Attorney W. C. Blaylock of San Angelo, passed through Waco yesterday en route to Kosse, Texas, for a visit with relatives.

City Commissioner J. A. Littlefield has returned from Rockport, where he spent several days fishing.

Street Commissioner Gorman left yesterday for Battle Creek, Michigan, on a five weeks' vacation. He will enter a Battle Creek sanitarium "for repairs," as he said.

## CITY LETS THE CONTRACT FOR FOUR BIG PUMPS

Four water pumps—two high duty and two centrifugals—have been purchased for the city's new water plant. The bid of the Allis-Chalmers Company, of Milwaukee, for a total of \$38,912, was accepted. The water board has just made this announcement.

The high duty pumps will have normal capacity of 5,000,000 gallons each per day. The centrifugals, which will lift the water from the river and into the settling basins, will have normal capacities of 6,000,000 gallons each per day. The pumps are to be delivered within sixty days.

## LABOR DAY PLANS

Formal plans for the big Labor Day celebration in Waco will be worked out at a meeting of the central labor day committee Tuesday night. Rev. P. H. Faulk and Representative Joe Coffee will be the principal speakers at the celebration, which is to be held at Cameron Park.

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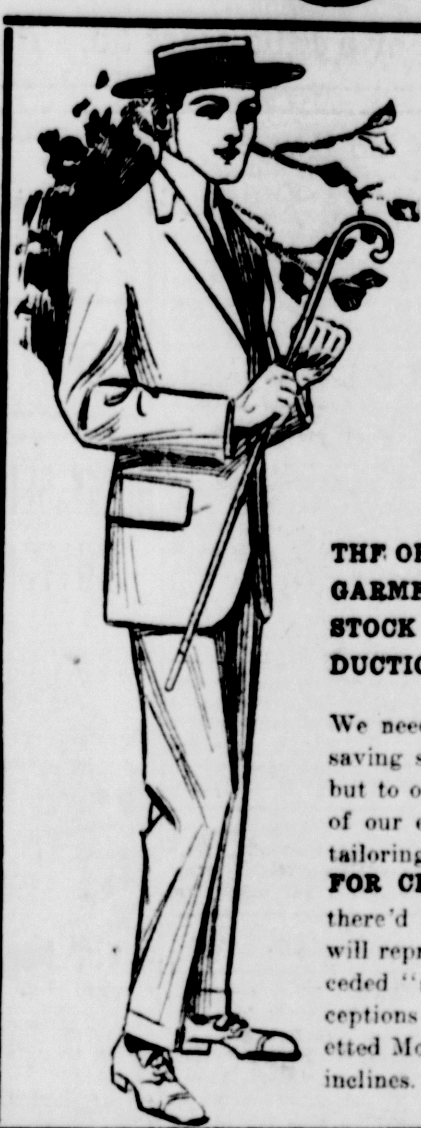
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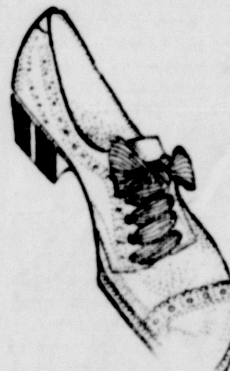
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## August Sale Men's Pajamas

Regular \$1.50 Pajamas Special at \$1.15  
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Regular \$3.00 Pajamas Special at \$2.35  
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## 200 Pairs Men's Oxfords Regular Price up to \$3.50 On Sale Today at a Pair \$1.85

In the Men's Shoe Department today we offer 200 pairs of Men's Oxfords, in all styles and leathers; values in the lot up to \$3.50; all sizes, but mostly narrow widths; a real bargain if you can wear a narrow width, at... **\$1.85**

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## Our Annual Sale of the Famous "Gotham" and "Delpark" Athletic Underwear for Men Begins Today

Quarter Sleeve Coat Cut Undershirts and Knee Length Drawers. These garments are the standard Summer Underwear and both "Gotham" and "Delpark" represent the finest in Men's Undergarments—high-class workmanship and the finest materials. Cool Molls, Pongees, English Mesh, Sil. Linen and Soisette. Below are the reductions for our Annual August Sale:

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Regular \$2.00 Shirts and Drawers, special at, a garment..... \$1.45  
Regular \$2.50 Shirts and Drawers, special at, a garment..... \$1.65

## PLACES McLENNAN'S CROP 125,000 BALES

THIS WILL BE AGGREGATE YIELD IF WORMS DON'T CAUSE TOO GREAT A DAMAGE.

A close observer of the cotton situation predicted Friday that McLennan county's cotton crop this year will aggregate 125,000 bales, provided the conditions continue favorable. He fears that, as a result of the recent rains and cloudy weather, the bell worm will cause damage. In that case, he says, the yield would be materially reduced, as the cotton would not have time to put on new fruit, as it did last year after having suffered from worms in the month of July.

Railroads are rapidly perfecting their arrangements for handling the crop promptly, and are expected to make announcements soon of special cotton train days.

## J. N. BRITUS INJURED BY A FLYING CHUNK

TOUCHED OFF FUSE TO DYNAMITE BLAST AND FAILED TO GET AWAY IN TIME.

A large piece of a stump, blown 200 yards, hit and probably fatally wounded J. N. Britus, who was at work clearing the right-of-way for a Texas Central connecting track three miles east of Waco at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Britus had touched off the fuse to the dynamite blast under the stump. He saw the object coming toward him and started to run. It caught him in the back of the head, fracturing the skull.

Later last night Britus had not recovered consciousness from the blow. He was taken to the Curtis & Witte sanitarium. He is a Woodman and a recent arrival from Louisiana. The accident happened about 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

## BLESSING TO WORLD SAYS MR. GILLCOAT

AGED DALLAS CITIZEN TELLS OF WAY IN WHICH PLANT JUICE AFFECTED HIM.

Mrs. G. W. Gillicat, residing at Farmers' Branch, Dallas, and who is 71 years of age, told the following: "I have been suffering with catarrh, neuralgia and rheumatism and have gotten the best benefits imaginable from the use of your Plant Juice. My neuralgia has left me; I don't suffer any more with rheumatism and my catarrh appears entirely cured. I have never tried anything else that would touch these troubles. I shudder, shudder, and made me feel years younger and stronger. Plant Juice is a blessing to the world, and will doubtless do humanity in general a great and lasting good."

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## COMPLAINT FILED

G. W. Brunson, who lives in Navarro county, was held over to await the action of the grand jury by Justice Dan Ford Friday, on a charge of disposing of mortgaged property. His bond was fixed at \$300. Brunson is alleged to have disposed of property that he had mortgaged to J. A. Freeman of Waco. Lee Jenkins filed the complaint against him.

## TO CONDUCT MISSION

Archdeacon Webber, of Boston, assisted by Rev. Webster-Thompson, will conduct a mission at the St. Paul's Episcopal church, beginning October 18 and continuing nine days. Archdeacon Webber has been engaged in this work for 25 years, and has conducted missions in all parts of this country, Canada and England.

## Daily Record SEVEN NEW RESIDENCES ARE PLANNED FOR WACO

MRS. STREETER GETS BUILDING PERMITS FOR \$20,900 IMPROVEMENTS.

Mrs. George D. Streeter of 763 North Fifth street, will invest more than \$20,900 in the construction of two apartment houses and two residences. The contract for the work has been let, and Friday permits were received from the city. The permits provide for the following construction: Two 2-story brick apartment houses at 727 North Fifth street, cost \$18,000; five-room house at 1626 South Fourth street, cost \$900; one and a half-story frame house at 1807 Webster street, cost \$2900.

Permits for three other five-room residences were issued yesterday to the following: Wallace Wade, Seventeenth and Mitchell streets, \$1550; J. B. Adams, 1313 North Tenth street, \$1350; Bud Riley, 1921 North Sixth street, \$1600.

Permits for residences to cost approximately \$20,000 were issued the day before.

## DEEDS FILED FOR RECORD

Reported by Tom G. Dilworth Title office: J. L. Wright, et ux, to M. Marks, part block 10, Crawford, \$1200.

G. H. Gay, et ux, to A. D. Adams, lot 6, block 90, Farwell Heights addition, \$1000.

Mrs. R. Henslee Smith to A. I. Cammack, 50x201 feet on North Fifteenth street, near Jefferson street, \$3600.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

J. W. Jones and Vesta M. Levrett.  
John A. Scanley and Aletta Marlett.  
Billy H. Curry and Lillie Mae Ponder.  
Clarence Wilson and Lela Ivy, negroes.

## IRRIGATION PROJECT FOR 32,000 ACRES

IMPORTANT MOVE FOR DEVELOPMENT OF CENTRAL-WEST TEXAS POSSIBILITIES.

A vast irrigation project that will be an important factor in the development of Central-West Texas is being promoted at San Saba, according to S. B. Hand, who spent Friday in Waco. Mr. Hand has been principal of the San Saba school, and is en route to Le Roy to take the principalship of the school there. The plan is to create an irrigation district comprising 32,000 acres and contract a mammoth dam across the San Saba river. The enormous head of water, Mr. Hand says, will supply the crops the year around. The proposed irrigation district consists of land already dotted with farms. With the assurance of plenty of water, it is expected that the land values will increase from \$30-40 an acre to \$200-300.

Mr. Hand says preparations are being made for drilling an oil well at San Saba, and that other natural resources likely will soon be developed. Geologists representing large eastern companies have been making investigations there recently, looking into the oil, granite and other possibilities.

## "TENNESSEE DICK" GUTTERED

"Tennessee Dick" was sprawled out in a gutter at Second and Washington streets and the man who struck him was fleeing across the bridge for East Waco when officers arrived. Dick had an ugly gash above his left eye. City Physician Toomlin took several stitches in it. Officers searched East Waco for the other combatant but without success.

## BAND CONCERT

Alessandro's band will give another concert at Cameron Park Sunday afternoon. The program will be announced in the Sunday paper.

## DIAMOND STEALING CHARGED

Violet Brackett has filed a charge of stealing a diamond ring against Mike Beral. Both are negroes. Deputy Constable Smith arrested Beral but without success.

## TWO CHARGES ARE FILED AGAINST McGREGOR MAN

LITTLE GIRL HIT BY STRAY BULLET STILL IN HOSPITAL AT TEMPLE

Two charges of assault with intent to murder were filed against Sam Neely of McGregor, here yesterday. Justice Dan Ford fixed his bond at \$1000 in each case, subject to appearance for a preliminary hearing September 2. Neely made bond immediately and was released from custody. His bondsmen are George J. Neely, of Moody, his father, Dr. J. B. Young, J. C. Reynolds, John McCauley and H. R. Mansker, also of Moody, and George H. Caulfield, of McGregor.

The charges grew out of the shopping of E. D. Epperson and thirteen-year-old Ollie Gardner on the main street at McGregor Thursday night. The shooting of the girl was accidental.

The girl is still in the Temple hospital. There was no change in her condition yesterday and it is still precarious.

## EXCURSION TO GALVESTON

The railroads out of Waco will give Central Texans their last opportunity to go to the Galveston cotton carnival on cheap rates today. They will run excursions with rates of 4c for the round trip. The carnival closes Sunday.

## BRASS STEALING CHARGED

Two small negro boys were arrested Friday by Police Officer Tiley and charged with stealing brass off of a gasoline engine owned by E. D. Cammack. They are Willie Hassell and Ira Lee.

## NINE CONVERSIONS

Rev. Charles Wesley is conducting a revival at his Pin Oak church, near Nalley. Many Baptists are taking part in it. The meeting began last Friday and nine conversions are reported.

## BIDS FOR NEW CHURCH

Roy E. Lane is receiving bids for the construction of a \$12,000 church at Eddy. He expects to let the contract in the next day or two.